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Foreword

This report provides a broad income picture of a cross section of the population aged 55 or older, with special emphasis on income of the population aged 65 or older. The tabulations focus on the major sources and amounts of income, both separately and combined, for these age groups. The relative importance of particular sources to total income is measured for individual units and the share of aggregate income from particular sources is measured for the aged as a whole. Proportions of the aged below the poverty line are presented in terms of their own incomes and the incomes of the families with whom they live. Several tables describe the economic situation of the aged with varying levels of Social Security benefits and total money income. These data are a valuable resource for policymakers and researchers in government and in the private sector.

Since 1941, the Social Security Administration (SSA) has periodically surveyed the economic situation of the aged as part of its legislative directive to study the most effective methods of providing economic security. Between 1963 and 1972, three surveys were made that were national in scope and sampled nonbeneficiaries as well as beneficiaries. In 1963 and 1968, SSA administered its own questionnaire and combined data from these surveys with Social Security record data of the survey respondents. In 1972, SSA benefit record data were combined with U.S. Census Bureau data from the March Current Population Survey (CPS).

SSA then began a series of biennial studies of the income of the aged based on CPS data alone. The first report in the series described the income of the population aged 55 or older, and in some cases the population aged 65 or older, based on 1976 data. The second report described apparent changes in the income of those age groups between 1976 and 1978. In the

interest of publishing the data in a more timely fashion, however, beginning with the 1980 report, publications in the series have consisted of tabulations only.

The source of data for this series is the March supplement of the CPS, which samples a large cross section of households in the United States each year and provides detailed information annually on income and labor force participation. Comparisons of CPS estimates with more precise estimates adjusted by federal income tax records and Social Security records indicate that some sources are underreported in the CPS. Also, changes that have been made in the survey from time to time have improved the measurement of income and labor force participation but have reduced the comparability of estimates between years. Despite the shortcomings of the CPS data, they are used here because they provide the best available measures of income for detailed subgroups of the aged.

The Census Bureau also conducts a survey called the Survey of Income and Program Participation (SIPP) to expand upon and improve the measurement of economic status. In future years, SIPP data may be incorporated into this series.

The data in this publication are presented in terms of either aged units or aged persons. An aged unit is a married couple living together or a nonmarried person. Using aged units or aged persons as the units of analysis allows one to measure incomes of the entire aged population either separately from or in combination with the income of other members of the families with whom they live.

The tables focus on the income of the aged population separately, whether or not they live with other relatives. In contrast, in Census Bureau publications using CPS data, aged persons living with a younger relative who is

considered the householder are classified as "families under 65." Thus, a portion of the aged population cannot be accounted for within the Census Bureau's categorization. But for the 23 percent of units aged 65 or older who lived with other family members in 1998, the income of the families with whom the aged units lived is important information. Therefore, data on family income of aged units are presented in tables II.1-2 and VIII.1-6.

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Unit source of income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	All units							
Number (in thousands)	11,801	3,997	24,644	6,483	6,179	5,333	3,834	2,815
Percent of units with—								
Earnings	80	64	21	41	25	13	7	3
Wages and salaries	75	58	18	36	21	12	6	2
Self-employment	13	11	4	7	5	3	2	1
Retirement benefits	27	63	93	89	95	95	96	94
Social Security ¹	13	54	90	84	92	93	94	91
Benefits other than Social Security	18	33	43	43	46	45	40	33
Other public pensions	8	12	15	15	16	15	13	12
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
Government employee pensions	7	11	14	14	15	14	12	11
Military	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2
Federal	2	3	5	5	5	5	4	4
State/local	4	7	8	8	9	8	7	6
Private pensions or annuities	11	23	31	31	33	33	30	23
Income from assets	64	61	63	64	64	63	64	58
Interest	61	58	60	61	61	60	62	55
Other income from assets	38	34	29	32	31	29	25	25
Dividends	33	28	23	26	24	24	21	19
Rent or royalties	12	12	10	12	11	10	7	9
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Veterans' benefits	3	3	4	4	4	6	4	2
Unemployment compensation	5	4	1	2	1	0	0	0
Workers' compensation	2	2	0	1	1	0	1	0
Public assistance	5	6	5	6	5	5	5	5
Supplemental Security Income	5	6	5	5	5	5	4	5
Other public assistance	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Personal contributions	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	0

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Table I.1.—Income sources by age, sex, and marital status: Percent of aged units 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998—*Continued*

Unit source of income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Married couples							
Number (in thousands)	6,758	2,179	10,158	3,397	2,850	2,170	1,253	488
Percent of units with—								
Earnings	92	77	34	55	35	20	12	8
Wages and salaries	87	70	29	48	29	16	10	4
Self-employment	18	16	8	11	8	5	3	4
Retirement benefits	27	65	94	90	97	96	97	97
Social Security ¹	11	52	91	85	94	94	95	95
Benefits other than Social Security	20	40	55	53	57	56	54	50
Other public pensions	9	15	19	19	20	21	17	19
Railroad Retirement	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	3
Government employee pensions	9	14	18	18	19	20	17	18
Military	2	3	3	3	3	3	2	2
Federal	2	4	7	6	7	7	6	9
State/local	4	8	10	10	11	11	9	8
Private pensions or annuities	12	27	40	39	43	40	40	36
Income from assets	76	73	75	76	74	75	75	71
Interest	73	70	72	73	71	72	74	69
Other income from assets	49	44	39	41	40	40	31	33
Dividends	43	38	32	33	32	34	28	25
Rent or royalties	15	16	14	15	15	14	8	13
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Veterans' benefits	3	3	5	4	5	7	6	3
Unemployment compensation	6	5	1	2	1	1	0	0
Workers' compensation	2	3	1	1	0	0	1	0
Public assistance	2	3	2	2	3	2	2	1
Supplemental Security Income	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	1
Other public assistance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal contributions	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0

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Table I.1.—Income sources by age, sex, and marital status: Percent of aged units 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998—*Continued*

Unit source of income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Nonmarried persons							
Number (in thousands)	5,043	1,818	14,487	3,086	3,329	3,163	2,581	2,327
Percent of units with—								
Earnings	64	48	12	27	16	9	5	2
Wages and salaries	60	44	11	24	13	8	4	2
Self-employment	7	6	2	3	3	1	1	0
Retirement benefits	26	62	92	87	93	95	95	93
Social Security ¹	15	55	90	83	90	92	93	91
Benefits other than Social Security	14	25	34	32	36	37	34	29
Other public pensions	6	8	11	12	13	11	10	10
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1
Government employee pensions	5	8	10	10	12	10	9	9
Military	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Federal	1	2	3	3	4	3	3	3
State/local	3	5	6	6	8	6	6	5
Private pensions or annuities	9	18	24	22	25	28	25	20
Income from assets	47	47	55	51	54	55	58	55
Interest	44	44	52	49	52	52	57	52
Other income from assets	23	21	22	23	23	22	22	23
Dividends	20	17	17	18	17	17	17	17
Rent or royalties	7	7	8	8	8	7	7	8
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Veterans' benefits	2	3	4	4	4	6	3	2
Unemployment compensation	4	2	0	1	1	0	0	0
Workers' compensation	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Public assistance	10	10	7	9	7	6	6	5
Supplemental Security Income	8	9	7	8	7	6	6	5
Other public assistance	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Personal contributions	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	0

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Table I.1.—Income sources by age, sex, and marital status: Percent of aged units 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998—*Continued*

Unit source of income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Nonmarried men							
Number (in thousands)	1,928	635	3,622	932	893	774	508	515
Percent of units with—								
Earnings	65	50	15	26	18	10	11	2
Wages and salaries	59	46	12	22	13	8	8	2
Self-employment	8	6	4	5	6	2	4	0
Retirement benefits	26	60	91	86	90	92	97	94
Social Security ¹	14	53	87	80	87	90	94	90
Benefits other than Social Security	14	23	41	39	41	44	43	40
Other public pensions	5	6	13	14	12	12	11	13
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	1	1	2	0	2
Government employee pensions	5	6	12	12	12	11	11	11
Military	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	2
Federal	1	1	5	5	4	3	6	4
State/local	3	3	6	6	7	7	5	5
Private pensions or annuities	10	18	30	27	30	34	34	29
Income from assets	47	45	54	53	51	51	58	60
Interest	44	41	51	50	48	47	57	55
Other income from assets	25	21	25	28	22	23	24	30
Dividends	22	17	20	22	17	19	20	22
Rent or royalties	7	8	9	11	9	8	5	12
Estates or trusts	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
Veterans' benefits	3	2	8	7	8	11	7	5
Unemployment compensation	3	3	0	1	1	0	0	0
Workers' compensation	2	1	0	0	1	1	1	0
Public assistance	9	8	5	7	6	3	3	5
Supplemental Security Income	8	8	5	7	6	3	3	4
Other public assistance	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Personal contributions	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

See footnote at end of table.

Table I.1.—Income sources by age, sex, and marital status: Percent of aged units 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998—*Continued*

Unit source of income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Nonmarried women							
Number (in thousands)	3,115	1,184	10,864	2,154	2,436	2,389	2,073	1,812
Percent of units with—								
Earnings	64	47	11	27	15	8	3	2
Wages and salaries	60	43	10	25	13	8	3	2
Self-employment	6	6	1	3	2	0	0	0
Retirement benefits	26	63	93	88	94	96	94	93
Social Security 1	15	57	91	85	92	93	93	91
Benefits other than Social Security	14	25	32	29	35	35	32	27
Other public pensions	6	9	11	11	13	11	10	10
Railroad Retirement	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	1
Government employee pensions	6	9	10	9	12	9	9	9
Military	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Federal	2	2	3	2	4	2	3	3
State/local	4	6	6	7	8	6	6	5
Private pensions or annuities	8	18	22	20	23	26	23	18
Income from assets	47	48	55	50	55	56	58	54
Interest	45	46	53	48	53	53	57	52
Other income from assets	22	21	21	20	23	21	21	21
Dividends	18	17	17	16	17	17	17	16
Rent or royalties	7	7	7	7	8	7	7	7
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Veterans' benefits	2	3	2	3	2	4	2	1
Unemployment compensation	4	2	0	1	1	0	0	0
Workers' compensation	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Public assistance	10	11	8	10	8	7	7	6
Supplemental Security Income	9	10	7	9	8	7	7	6
Other public assistance	2	2	1	1	1	0	0	0
Personal contributions	4	3	1	1	2	1	1	0

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured,

or special age-72 benefits.

Table I.2.—Income sources by age, sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percent of aged units 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998

Unit source of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Beneficiary units ¹														
Number (in thousands)	1,478	2,141	22,257	731	1,133	9,248	748	1,008	13,009	270	339	3,152	478	669	9,857
Percent of units with—															
Earnings	40	48	20	70	64	32	11	30	11	8	28	13	12	32	10
Wages and salaries	39	43	17	68	59	27	10	26	10	8	25	10	12	27	10
Self-employment	4	9	4	8	12	7	1	6	2	0	4	3	2	7	1
Retirement benefits	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Social Security ¹	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Benefits other than Social Security	25	43	44	34	52	57	15	33	35	10	30	43	18	34	32
Other public pensions	7	13	14	8	16	19	6	10	10	2	5	12	8	12	10
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
Government employee pensions	7	13	14	8	16	18	6	10	10	2	5	11	8	12	10
Military	1	2	2	0	2	3	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1
Federal	1	4	4	1	5	6	1	2	3	1	2	4	1	3	3
State/local	5	9	8	7	10	11	4	7	7	1	3	7	5	9	6
Private pensions or annuities	18	33	33	27	40	42	10	25	26	9	26	33	10	25	24
Income from assets	43	58	65	58	69	76	27	45	57	15	43	56	34	47	57
Interest	40	54	62	55	65	73	25	42	54	14	38	53	31	44	55
Other income from assets	22	30	30	34	41	39	10	18	23	5	19	26	13	18	22
Dividends	17	24	24	29	34	32	6	13	18	4	12	21	8	13	17
Rent or royalties	7	12	10	10	15	14	5	8	8	2	10	9	6	8	8
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Veterans' benefits	4	4	5	5	4	6	3	4	4	3	3	8	2	4	3
Unemployment compensation	2	3	1	3	4	1	2	3	0	2	3	0	1	3	0
Workers' compensation	4	1	1	6	2	1	3	0	0	5	0	1	1	0	0
Public assistance	13	6	4	8	3	2	19	9	6	17	6	4	20	10	6
Supplemental Security Income	11	5	4	7	3	1	16	8	5	15	6	4	16	8	6
Other public assistance	3	1	0	2	0	0	4	1	0	2	0	0	5	2	0
Personal contributions	2	1	1	1	0	0	3	2	1	2	0	0	4	3	1

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Table I.2.—Income sources by age, sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percent of aged units 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998—*Continued*

Unit source of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Nonbeneficiary units														
Number (in thousands)	10,323	1,856	2,388	6,027	1,046	910	4,296	810	1,478	1,658	296	471	2,637	514	1,007
Percent of units with—															
Earnings	86	82	36	95	91	55	74	70	25	74	76	31	73	67	22
Wages and salaries	81	75	32	90	82	48	68	66	22	67	71	28	69	63	20
Self-employment	15	14	6	20	21	11	8	6	3	9	9	5	7	5	3
Retirement benefits	17	21	30	19	26	37	13	15	26	14	14	30	13	15	25
Social Security ¹	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Benefits other than Social Security	17	21	30	19	26	37	13	15	26	14	14	30	13	15	25
Other public pensions	8	11	20	9	14	23	6	6	18	5	6	18	6	6	18
Railroad Retirement	0	1	6	0	1	7	0	1	5	0	0	5	0	1	6
Government employee pensions	7	10	14	9	13	16	5	6	13	5	6	13	5	5	13
Military	2	2	2	3	3	3	1	1	1	1	2	2	0	0	1
Federal	2	3	9	3	4	10	1	1	8	1	1	11	2	2	7
State/local	4	5	4	4	6	5	3	4	4	3	4	1	3	3	5
Private pensions or annuities	9	11	13	10	13	18	9	9	10	10	9	13	8	9	9
Income from assets	67	65	46	78	77	66	51	48	35	53	47	36	49	49	34
Interest	64	63	44	75	76	62	48	46	33	49	45	35	47	48	33
Other income from assets	40	38	23	51	48	36	25	24	15	28	23	18	23	25	13
Dividends	35	33	19	45	41	30	22	22	11	25	21	12	20	22	11
Rent or royalties	13	12	8	16	16	12	8	6	6	8	7	9	8	6	4
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Veterans' benefits	3	2	3	3	2	2	2	1	4	3	1	9	2	1	2
Unemployment compensation	5	4	2	7	6	3	4	2	1	4	2	1	4	2	1
Workers' compensation	2	2	0	2	3	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
Public assistance	4	7	15	2	3	8	8	12	20	7	9	11	9	13	23
Supplemental Security Income	4	7	15	1	3	8	7	11	19	7	9	10	7	12	23
Other public assistance	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	2	1
Personal contributions	2	1	2	1	0	2	3	2	2	1	0	1	4	3	2

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured,

or special age-72 benefits.

Table I.3.—Income sources by age, sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged units 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998

Unit source of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	White														
Number (in thousands)	9,929	3,374	21,610	5,984	1,977	9,288	3,945	1,397	12,322	1,541	484	2,995	2,404	912	9,326
Percent of units with—															
Earnings	82	66	22	93	78	34	67	50	13	69	52	16	66	49	12
Wages and salaries	77	60	19	87	71	29	62	46	11	62	47	12	62	45	11
Self-employment	14	12	5	19	17	8	7	6	2	8	6	4	6	6	1
Retirement benefits	27	63	94	28	65	95	25	61	94	25	57	93	25	63	94
Social Security ¹	12	53	92	11	52	92	13	54	92	12	51	89	14	56	92
Benefits other than Social Security	18	34	45	21	40	56	14	26	36	15	24	44	14	27	34
Other public pensions	8	12	15	9	15	19	6	8	12	6	7	13	6	9	11
Railroad Retirement	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1
Government employee pensions	7	12	14	9	15	18	5	8	11	6	7	12	5	9	10
Military	2	2	2	2	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Federal	2	4	5	2	5	6	1	2	3	1	1	5	1	3	3
State/local	4	7	8	4	8	10	4	5	7	3	4	7	4	5	7
Private pensions or annuities	11	24	33	13	27	41	9	19	26	10	18	32	9	20	24
Income from assets	68	66	68	78	76	78	53	53	60	53	50	60	52	55	60
Interest	65	63	65	75	73	75	50	50	58	49	46	57	50	52	58
Other income from assets	41	37	32	51	46	40	26	25	25	28	26	29	24	25	24
Dividends	37	32	26	46	39	34	22	21	20	26	21	23	20	21	19
Rent or royalties	13	13	11	16	16	14	8	8	9	7	10	10	8	8	8
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Veterans' benefits	3	3	5	3	3	5	2	2	4	2	1	9	2	3	3
Unemployment compensation	5	4	1	6	4	1	4	3	0	4	3	0	4	2	0
Workers' compensation	2	2	1	2	3	1	2	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	0
Public assistance	4	6	4	2	3	2	8	9	5	7	7	3	9	10	6
Supplemental Security Income	4	5	4	2	3	2	7	9	5	6	7	3	8	9	6
Other public assistance	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	2	2	0
Personal contributions	2	1	1	1	0	0	3	2	1	1	0	0	4	3	1

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Table I.3.—Income sources by age, sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged units 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998—*Continued*

Unit source of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Black														
Number (in thousands)	1,379	490	2,332	436	142	569	944	348	1,763	332	118	513	612	231	1,250
Percent of units with—															
Earnings	65	50	17	92	70	35	53	42	10	47	43	13	56	41	10
Wages and salaries	62	47	16	90	68	34	50	38	10	44	41	12	53	37	9
Self-employment	6	5	1	7	4	2	6	5	1	7	4	0	5	5	1
Retirement benefits	33	66	90	35	67	95	31	65	88	30	71	82	32	62	90
Social Security ¹	20	59	86	18	59	93	22	60	84	23	65	79	21	57	87
Benefits other than Social Security	15	27	28	20	37	47	13	22	22	8	21	28	15	23	20
Other public pensions	7	9	11	12	13	19	5	7	8	1	0	9	8	10	8
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
Government employee pensions	7	8	10	12	12	18	5	7	7	1	0	8	8	10	7
Military	2	1	1	5	4	2	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	1
Federal	3	1	3	3	2	6	3	0	2	0	0	3	4	0	2
State/local	3	7	6	5	8	10	2	7	5	0	0	4	4	10	5
Private pensions or annuities	8	19	19	9	27	33	8	16	15	7	20	19	8	13	13
Income from assets	35	29	25	55	41	40	25	24	21	20	27	24	28	23	19
Interest	33	27	23	52	39	36	24	22	19	19	24	23	27	22	18
Other income from assets	14	11	7	19	23	17	11	6	4	10	5	6	12	7	3
Dividends	11	7	4	17	19	9	8	2	2	7	2	2	9	2	2
Rent or royalties	5	5	4	5	7	10	5	4	2	4	3	3	5	5	2
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Veterans' benefits	4	4	4	7	3	5	2	5	3	5	8	5	1	3	2
Unemployment compensation	3	4	1	6	6	2	2	2	0	1	2	0	3	2	0
Workers' compensation	1	1	0	3	1	2	1	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
Public assistance	14	9	13	4	6	6	18	11	15	18	5	13	18	14	16
Supplemental Security Income	12	9	12	4	6	5	15	10	15	17	5	13	14	12	15
Other public assistance	2	1	1	0	0	1	3	1	1	1	0	0	4	2	1
Personal contributions	2	1	0	2	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	3	2	0

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Table I.3.—Income sources by age, sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged units 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998—*Continued*

Unit source of income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Hispanic origin ²														
Number (in thousands)	933	281	1,359	417	134	507	517	147	852	192	49	248	325	98	603
Percent of units with—															
Earnings	72	54	18	89	71	31	59	39	10	64	(³)	18	55	34	7
Wages and salaries	69	51	16	85	68	29	56	35	9	62	(³)	16	52	29	6
Self-employment	6	5	2	10	7	4	3	3	1	4	(³)	2	3	5	1
Retirement benefits	20	53	79	22	61	82	19	46	77	26	(³)	84	15	45	75
Social Security ¹	15	48	76	14	53	78	16	43	75	21	(³)	80	13	43	73
Benefits other than Social Security	7	16	21	10	20	31	4	13	15	7	(³)	21	3	11	12
Other public pensions	3	6	7	6	6	10	1	7	5	1	(³)	7	1	7	4
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	(³)	2	0	0	1
Government employee pensions	3	6	6	6	6	10	1	7	4	1	(³)	6	1	7	4
Military	1	2	1	2	2	2	0	3	0	0	(³)	1	1	2	0
Federal	1	1	3	3	2	4	0	0	1	1	(³)	1	0	0	1
State/local	1	3	3	1	2	5	0	5	3	0	(³)	4	0	5	2
Private pensions or annuities	4	10	14	4	15	21	4	6	10	6	(³)	15	2	5	8
Income from assets	30	33	31	41	44	42	21	23	24	21	(³)	31	21	19	21
Interest	29	30	29	40	42	39	19	19	22	19	(³)	29	20	18	19
Other income from assets	12	15	9	18	18	17	7	12	5	8	(³)	8	5	13	4
Dividends	9	11	5	13	13	8	5	9	2	7	(³)	6	4	10	1
Rent or royalties	4	6	6	7	8	11	2	3	3	2	(³)	4	3	3	3
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(³)	0	1	0	0
Veterans' benefits	1	0	3	2	1	3	0	0	2	0	(³)	4	0	0	2
Unemployment compensation	6	2	1	8	4	1	5	0	1	2	(³)	2	6	0	0
Workers' compensation	3	2	0	3	3	1	3	1	0	5	(³)	1	2	1	0
Public assistance	8	10	17	6	5	10	10	14	22	6	(³)	10	13	13	26
Supplemental Security Income	6	9	17	5	5	10	7	13	21	5	(³)	10	8	12	26
Other public assistance	3	1	1	2	1	1	3	2	1	1	(³)	0	4	2	1
Personal contributions	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	0	(³)	0	3	1	1

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured,

or special age-72 benefits.

² Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Table I.4.—Income sources by age, race, Hispanic origin, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percent of aged units 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998

Unit source of income	Beneficiary units ¹			Nonbeneficiary units		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
White						
Number (in thousands)	1,159	1,795	19,794	8,770	1,579	1,816
Percent of units with—						
Earnings	44	51	20	88	84	39
Retirement benefits	100	100	100	17	22	34
Social Security ¹	100	100	100	—	—	—
Benefits other than Social Security	28	45	46	17	22	34
Other public pensions	7	13	14	8	11	23
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	0	1	7
Government employee pensions	7	13	14	7	10	16
Private pensions or annuities	21	35	34	10	11	15
Income from assets	49	63	69	70	70	54
Veterans' benefits	4	4	5	2	1	4
Public assistance	11	6	3	3	5	12
Black						
Number (in thousands)	280	291	2,016	1,100	199	317
Percent of units with—						
Earnings	27	34	15	75	73	28
Retirement benefits	100	100	100	15	15	23
Social Security ¹	100	100	100	—	—	—
Benefits other than Social Security	13	34	29	15	15	23
Other public pensions	6	11	10	8	5	14
Railroad Retirement	0	0	0	0	1	5
Government employee pensions	6	11	10	8	4	10
Private pensions or annuities	7	25	20	8	10	10
Income from assets	20	32	26	38	25	19
Veterans' benefits	4	6	4	4	2	3
Public assistance	19	4	12	12	17	21

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Table I.4.—Income sources by age, race, Hispanic origin, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percent of aged units 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998—*Continued*

Unit source of income	Beneficiary units ¹			Nonbeneficiary units		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Hispanic origin ²					
Number (in thousands)	142	134	1,032	791	147	326
Percent of units with—						
Earnings	30	37	14	80	70	30
Retirement benefits	100	100	100	6	10	13
Social Security ¹	100	100	100	—	—	—
Benefits other than Social Security	11	23	23	6	10	13
Other public pensions	3	7	7	3	6	8
Railroad Retirement	0	0	0	0	0	1
Government employee pensions	3	7	6	3	6	7
Private pensions or annuities	9	16	17	3	5	5
Income from assets	22	28	33	31	38	23
Veterans' benefits	0	0	2	1	1	3
Public assistance	16	13	13	7	7	29

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured,

or special age-72 benefits.

² Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Table I.5.—Income sources by quintiles of total money income¹ and marital status: Percent of aged units 65 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998

Unit source of income	Quintiles of total money income					
	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
All units						
Number (in thousands)	24,644	4,866	5,001	4,965	4,893	4,919
Percent of units with—						
Earnings	21	4	8	17	29	50
Retirement benefits	93	80	98	97	98	93
Social Security ²	90	77	96	96	94	89
Benefits other than Social Security	43	8	24	47	67	67
Other public pensions	15	2	6	13	23	29
Railroad Retirement	1	1	1	1	2	1
Government employee pensions	14	2	5	11	22	28
Private pensions or annuities	31	6	19	36	48	46
Income from assets	63	24	51	67	81	91
Veterans' benefits	4	2	3	5	6	6
Public assistance	5	17	4	2	1	1
Married couples						
Number (in thousands)	10,158	2,021	2,035	2,037	2,033	2,032
Percent of units with—						
Earnings	34	13	20	32	46	60
Retirement benefits	94	87	98	98	97	92
Social Security	91	83	97	95	93	87
Benefits other than Social Security	55	18	49	68	72	67
Other public pensions	19	5	11	22	28	31
Railroad Retirement	1	1	0	1	2	1
Government employee pensions	18	4	11	20	26	30
Private pensions or annuities	40	14	39	51	51	46
Income from assets	75	42	68	83	88	94
Veterans' benefits	5	3	5	6	6	6
Public assistance	2	8	1	1	1	0

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Table I.5.—Income sources by quintiles of total money income¹ and marital status: Percent of aged units 65 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998—*Continued*

Unit source of income	Quintiles of total money income					
	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Nonmarried persons						
Number (in thousands)	14,487	2,904	2,883	2,896	2,910	2,893
Percent of units with—						
Earnings	12	3	3	8	17	30
Retirement benefits	92	75	97	98	98	95
Social Security ²	90	73	96	97	95	89
Benefits other than Social Security	34	5	14	32	56	63
Other public pensions	11	2	4	7	17	27
Railroad Retirement	1	0	0	1	1	2
Government employee pensions	10	2	3	5	15	26
Private pensions or annuities	24	3	10	25	41	41
Income from assets	55	19	32	61	74	86
Veterans' benefits	4	2	3	2	5	7
Public assistance	7	21	9	3	1	1

¹ Quintile limits are \$8,792, \$14,224, \$22,255, and \$37,962 for all units; \$17,512, \$25,595, \$36,019, and \$57,808 for married couples; and \$7,126, \$10,168, \$14,373, and \$22,510 for nonmarried persons.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

Table I.6.—Receipt of retirement benefits, earnings, and income from assets by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit retirement benefits	Age 55-61					Age 62-64					Aged 65 or older				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
All units															
Number (in thousands)	11,801	9,498	2,303	7,525	4,276	3,997	2,550	1,447	2,443	1,554	24,644	5,275	19,369	15,521	9,123
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
No benefit	73	81	42	74	72	37	48	17	37	36	7	12	5	4	12
One benefit	23	17	49	22	25	40	34	51	34	49	53	50	54	46	66
Social Security only ¹	9	4	31	5	17	31	23	44	22	43	51	46	52	43	64
Private pension or annuity only	8	7	10	9	5	5	6	3	6	3	1	2	1	1	1
Government employee pension only ²	6	6	8	8	3	4	5	2	5	3	1	2	1	1	1
Railroad Retirement only	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
More than one benefit ³	4	2	10	4	3	23	18	32	29	15	40	38	40	50	23
Social Security and federal pension only	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	3	3	2
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state/local, or military pension only	1	0	2	1	1	4	3	5	5	2	7	7	7	9	4
Social Security and private pension only	2	2	5	2	2	16	12	23	20	11	27	24	28	33	16
Three or more benefit types	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	2	4	1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table I.6.—Receipt of retirement benefits, earnings, and income from assets by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit retirement benefits	Age 55-61					Age 62-64					Aged 65 or older				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
Married couples															
Number (in thousands)	6,758	6,250	508	5,141	1,617	2,179	1,676	503	1,589	590	10,158	3,474	6,684	7,622	2,536
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
No benefit	73	76	23	73	70	35	43	10	37	32	6	10	3	4	10
One benefit	23	21	60	23	26	37	35	44	33	47	42	45	41	38	56
Social Security only ¹	7	5	28	5	15	25	21	36	20	39	40	41	39	35	54
Private pension or annuity only	9	8	16	9	6	6	6	4	7	4	1	2	1	1	1
Government employee pension only ²	8	7	15	9	4	6	7	3	7	3	1	2	1	1	1
Railroad Retirement only	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1
More than one benefit ³	4	3	17	4	4	28	22	45	30	21	52	45	56	58	33
Social Security and federal pension only	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	2	1	4	3	4	4	2
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state/local, or military pension only	1	0	3	1	1	5	4	6	5	3	8	8	8	10	4
Social Security and private pension only	3	2	11	3	3	19	15	33	20	15	34	28	37	37	25
Three or more benefit types	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	2	1	4	4	5	5	2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table I.6.—Receipt of retirement benefits, earnings, and income from assets by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit retirement benefits	Age 55-61					Age 62-64					Aged 65 or older				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
Nonmarried persons															
Number (in thousands)	5,043	3,247	1,796	2,384	2,659	1,818	875	944	854	965	14,487	1,802	12,685	7,899	6,588
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
No benefit	74	89	47	74	73	38	57	20	38	38	8	15	6	3	13
One benefit	23	11	45	22	25	43	32	54	35	51	61	60	61	54	69
Social Security only ¹	13	2	31	6	18	37	25	49	28	46	58	55	59	51	67
Private pension or annuity only	7	6	8	10	4	4	4	3	5	3	1	3	1	1	1
Government employee pension only ²	4	3	6	6	2	2	2	2	2	3	1	2	1	2	1
Railroad Retirement only	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
More than one benefit ³	3	0	8	4	2	18	11	26	27	11	32	25	32	43	18
Social Security and federal pension only	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	0	2	2	2	3	1
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state/local, or military pension only	1	0	2	1	1	3	2	5	5	2	6	5	6	8	3
Social Security and private pension only	1	0	4	2	1	13	7	18	18	8	22	16	23	29	13
Three or more benefit types	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	1	2	1	2	0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table I.6.—Receipt of retirement benefits, earnings, and income from assets by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit retirement benefits	Age 55-61					Age 62-64					Aged 65 or older				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
Nonmarried men															
Number (in thousands)	1,928	1,251	677	916	1,013	635	319	316	285	349	3,622	554	3,068	1,951	1,671
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
No benefit	74	90	43	78	70	40	64	16	41	39	9	22	7	4	15
One benefit	24	10	51	20	29	43	26	61	35	50	53	57	53	47	61
Social Security only ¹	13	2	33	3	21	37	20	55	28	44	50	53	49	42	58
Private pension or annuity only	8	6	12	11	5	4	4	3	4	3	2	4	1	2	2
Government employee pension only ²	4	2	6	5	3	2	2	3	2	3	2	1	2	2	1
Railroad Retirement only	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
More than one benefit ³	2	0	6	3	2	17	10	23	24	11	37	21	40	49	24
Social Security and federal pension only	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	3	2	3	3	2
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state/local, or military pension only	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	3	0	6	3	6	8	4
Social Security and private pension only	1	0	3	1	1	13	8	19	18	9	27	14	29	35	18
Three or more benefit types	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	2	1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table I.6.—Receipt of retirement benefits, earnings, and income from assets by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit retirement benefits	Age 55-61					Age 62-64					Aged 65 or older				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
Nonmarried women															
Number (in thousands)	3,115	1,996	1,119	1,468	1,647	1,184	556	628	568	615	10,864	1,248	9,617	5,948	4,916
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
No benefit	74	88	49	72	75	37	54	22	36	38	7	12	6	3	12
One benefit	23	12	42	23	23	44	35	51	35	51	63	61	64	57	72
Social Security only ¹	13	3	30	8	17	38	28	46	28	47	61	55	62	54	70
Private pension or annuity only	6	6	6	9	4	4	5	3	5	2	1	2	0	1	1
Government employee pension only ²	4	3	5	6	2	2	3	2	2	2	1	3	1	1	1
Railroad Retirement only	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
More than one benefit ³	3	0	9	5	2	19	11	27	29	11	30	27	30	40	16
Social Security and federal pension only	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	2	2	2	3	1
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state/local, or military pension only	1	0	3	1	1	4	3	5	6	2	6	7	6	8	3
Social Security and private pension only	2	0	4	2	1	12	6	18	18	7	20	17	21	27	11
Three or more benefit types	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	3	0	1	2	1	2	0

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

² Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

³ Includes a small number with combinations of pensions not listed.

Table I.7.—Income sources of nonmarried persons: Percent of persons aged 65 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998

Person source of income	Nonmarried men				Nonmarried women			
	Total ¹	Widowed	Never married	Divorced	Total ¹	Widowed	Never married	Divorced
Number (in thousands)	3,622	1,927	489	893	10,864	8,385	750	1,262
Percent of persons with—								
Earnings	15	12	18	19	11	9	15	24
Wages and salaries	12	9	13	15	10	8	13	22
Self-employment	4	3	5	5	1	1	2	2
Retirement benefits	91	94	88	89	93	94	90	91
Social Security ²	87	91	83	84	91	92	85	87
Benefits other than Social Security	41	46	40	34	32	32	38	32
Other public pensions	13	14	15	9	11	11	12	12
Railroad Retirement	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
Government employee pensions	12	13	15	8	10	10	12	11
Military	1	2	0	1	1	1	0	0
Federal	5	5	7	3	3	3	4	4
State/local	6	6	9	5	6	6	8	7
Private pensions or annuities	30	35	25	26	22	23	26	21
Income from assets	54	58	54	48	55	56	56	54
Interest	51	55	50	45	53	53	54	51
Other income from assets	25	28	24	22	21	21	22	22
Dividends	20	22	20	17	17	16	19	17
Rent or royalties	9	10	7	9	7	7	6	8
Estates or trusts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Veterans' benefits	8	7	8	9	2	3	1	1
Unemployment compensation	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1
Workers' compensation	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Public assistance	5	4	10	5	8	6	13	10
Supplemental Security Income	5	4	9	4	7	6	12	10
Other public assistance	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Personal contributions	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	4

¹ Includes those who are separated or married but living apart from the spouse.² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits,

dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

Table I.8.—Income sources by age, sex, and marital status: Percent of persons aged 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998

Person source of income	All persons			Married persons			Nonmarried persons		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Total								
Number (in thousands)	16,923	5,986	32,394	11,880	4,168	17,908	5,043	1,818	14,487
Percent of persons with—									
Earnings	70	49	16	73	50	19	64	48	12
Retirement benefits	20	58	93	17	57	93	26	62	92
Social Security ¹	9	50	89	6	48	89	15	55	90
Benefits other than Social Security	13	26	35	13	26	37	14	25	34
Other public pensions	6	10	12	6	10	12	6	8	11
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
Government employee pensions	6	9	11	6	10	11	5	8	10
Private pensions or annuities	8	17	25	7	17	26	9	18	24
Income from assets	64	62	64	71	69	72	47	47	55
Veterans' benefits	2	2	3	2	2	3	2	3	4
Public assistance	4	4	4	2	2	1	10	10	7
	Men								
Number (in thousands)	8,180	2,787	13,727	6,252	2,152	10,105	1,928	635	3,622
Percent of persons with—									
Earnings	79	57	21	83	59	23	65	50	15
Retirement benefits	24	58	93	23	58	93	26	60	91
Social Security ¹	9	47	88	7	45	89	14	53	87
Benefits other than Social Security	17	33	47	18	36	49	14	23	41
Other public pensions	7	11	14	8	13	15	5	6	13
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1
Government employee pensions	7	11	13	8	13	14	5	6	12
Private pensions or annuities	10	22	35	10	23	36	10	18	30
Income from assets	66	64	67	72	69	72	47	45	54
Veterans' benefits	3	3	6	3	3	5	3	2	8
Public assistance	3	3	2	1	2	1	9	8	5

See footnote at end of table.

Table I.8.—Income sources by age, sex, and marital status: Percent of persons aged 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998—*Continued*

Person source of income	All persons			Married persons			Nonmarried persons		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Women								
Number (in thousands)	8,743	3,199	18,667	5,628	2,015	7,803	3,115	1,184	10,864
Percent of persons with—									
Earnings	62	43	12	61	40	13	64	47	11
Retirement benefits	17	58	93	11	56	92	26	63	93
Social Security ¹	9	53	90	5	51	90	15	57	91
Benefits other than Social Security	9	20	27	7	17	20	14	25	32
Other public pensions	4	8	10	3	7	8	6	9	11
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1
Government employee pensions	4	8	9	3	7	7	6	9	10
Private pensions or annuities	5	13	18	4	10	13	8	18	22
Income from assets	62	60	61	70	68	70	47	48	55
Veterans' benefits	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	3	2
Public assistance	5	5	5	2	1	2	10	11	8

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or

special age-72 benefits.

Table I.9.—Income sources by age, sex, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of persons aged 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998

Person source of income	White			Black			Hispanic origin ¹		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Total								
Number (in thousands)	14,560	5,165	28,759	1,676	609	2,723	1,286	419	1,696
Percent of persons with—									
Earnings	72	51	16	59	39	13	62	40	13
Retirement benefits	20	58	94	28	63	89	16	47	80
Social Security ²	8	50	91	17	57	86	12	43	77
Benefits other than Social Security	13	26	37	13	25	26	5	12	17
Other public pensions	6	10	12	6	8	10	3	5	6
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
Government employee pensions	6	10	11	6	8	9	2	5	5
Private pensions or annuities	8	17	26	7	18	17	2	7	12
Income from assets	68	67	68	34	30	26	31	34	31
Veterans' benefits	2	2	3	3	3	3	1	0	2
Public assistance	3	4	3	11	7	11	7	7	15
	Men								
Number (in thousands)	7,083	2,440	12,238	730	258	1,079	576	180	745
Percent of persons with—									
Earnings	81	59	22	61	41	15	77	55	20
Retirement benefits	24	58	94	28	66	88	19	52	81
Social Security ²	8	46	89	17	59	85	13	44	77
Benefits other than Social Security	18	34	49	13	27	34	7	18	26
Other public pensions	8	12	14	6	6	11	4	6	9
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1
Government employee pensions	7	12	13	6	6	10	3	6	8
Private pensions or annuities	11	22	36	7	21	23	4	13	18
Income from assets	70	68	71	37	33	31	31	37	37
Veterans' benefits	3	3	6	5	5	5	1	1	3
Public assistance	2	3	2	10	4	8	3	6	9

See footnotes at end of table.

Table I.9.—Income sources by age, sex, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of persons aged 55 or older with money income from specified sources, 1998—*Continued*

Person source of income	White			Black			Hispanic origin ¹		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Women								
Number (in thousands)	7,477	2,725	16,521	946	351	1,644	711	239	950
Percent of persons with—									
Earnings	63	43	12	57	38	11	49	28	8
Retirement benefits	16	59	93	28	60	90	13	43	78
Social Security ²	8	54	91	17	56	86	11	41	77
Benefits other than Social Security	9	20	28	13	24	21	3	7	10
Other public pensions	4	8	10	7	10	9	1	4	4
Railroad Retirement	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1
Government employee pensions	4	8	9	7	10	8	1	4	3
Private pensions or annuities	5	13	19	7	15	13	2	3	7
Income from assets	66	66	66	32	28	22	31	32	26
Veterans' benefits	1	1	1	1	2	2	0	0	1
Public assistance	4	4	4	13	9	13	10	7	19

¹ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits,

dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

Table II.1.—Family total money income by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Family income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	All units							
Number (in thousands)	11,801	3,997	24,644	6,483	6,179	5,333	3,834	2,815
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	2.4	1.8	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.1	2.4
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.4	.1	.2	.2	.3	.2	.4	.3
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.5	.2	.4	.3	.3	.5	.5	.2
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.4	.5	.5	.5	.5	.3	.5	.4
\$4,000-\$4,999 .....	.6	.2	.7	.5	.8	.7	.7	1.2
\$5,000-\$5,999	1.5	2.3	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.7	2.0	1.8
\$6,000-\$6,999	1.6	2.4	3.1	2.4	2.9	3.9	3.0	3.6
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.2	1.6	3.2	2.5	3.0	3.7	3.4	4.0
\$8,000-\$8,999	1.3	1.5	3.1	2.4	2.8	3.6	3.5	4.2
\$9,000-\$9,999	1.3	1.8	3.1	2.4	3.0	2.6	4.1	4.7
\$10,000-\$10,999	1.5	1.5	3.5	2.3	3.6	3.6	4.1	5.2
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.9	2.0	3.0	1.9	2.3	3.6	3.9	4.5
\$12,000-\$12,999	1.3	1.5	2.7	2.2	1.9	3.1	3.7	3.8
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.8	1.4	3.1	2.4	2.4	3.4	3.8	4.8
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.0	1.7	3.0	2.5	2.6	3.6	3.5	3.5
\$15,000-\$19,999	4.8	7.3	11.9	9.7	12.1	11.3	14.8	13.9
\$20,000-\$24,999	5.6	8.5	9.5	8.7	10.3	9.9	10.3	7.2
\$25,000-\$29,999	6.0	6.9	8.0	7.7	8.3	8.6	7.9	6.6
\$30,000-\$34,999	5.6	7.0	6.0	7.4	6.1	5.7	4.7	5.1
\$35,000-\$39,999	5.7	4.5	5.3	5.8	6.1	5.4	4.1	3.5
\$40,000-\$44,999	5.1	5.7	3.8	4.9	3.9	3.2	3.5	2.4
\$45,000-\$49,999	4.5	5.7	3.2	4.5	3.2	3.2	1.8	1.8
\$50,000-\$54,999	4.7	4.1	2.5	3.3	2.9	2.4	1.8	1.1
\$55,000-\$59,999	4.0	3.0	2.2	2.7	2.2	1.6	2.1	2.0
\$60,000-\$64,999	4.2	2.7	1.7	2.2	1.9	1.4	1.0	1.6
\$65,000-\$69,999	3.1	3.6	1.8	2.5	2.2	1.6	1.0	1.0
\$70,000-\$74,999	3.0	2.7	1.4	2.0	1.4	1.3	1.2	.9
\$75,000-\$99,999	11.9	8.8	4.2	5.3	5.1	3.8	2.6	3.1
\$100,000-\$149,999	9.4	5.7	4.0	4.9	3.8	3.9	3.2	3.7
\$150,000-\$199,999	2.3	1.3	1.0	1.7	1.0	.5	1.1	.4
\$200,000 or more	3.4	1.8	.9	1.4	.7	.8	.5	1.0
Median income	\$45,431	\$35,399	\$22,771	\$29,010	\$24,244	\$21,517	\$18,767	\$16,553

Table II.1.—Family total money income by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998 —Continued

Family income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
			Married couples					
Number (in thousands)	6,758	2,179	10,158	3,397	2,850	2,170	1,253	488
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	1.1	.9	.9	1.1	.7	.9	.5	1.7
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.1	.0	.2	.2	.0	.2	.2	.0
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.1	.1	.3	.2	.2	.2	.8	.0
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.2	.2	.2	.0	.4	.2	.0	.0
\$4,000-\$4,999 .....	.2	.1	.1	.0	.4	.0	.1	.0
\$5,000-\$5,999 .....	.2	.3	.4	.1	.5	.5	.7	.0
\$6,000-\$6,999 .....	.3	.2	.4	.2	.3	.9	.2	.8
\$7,000-\$7,999 .....	.2	.5	.5	.3	.4	.8	.6	1.3
\$8,000-\$8,999 .....	.3	.3	.7	.5	.7	.9	.8	1.1
\$9,000-\$9,999 .....	.6	.7	.9	.8	.8	.5	1.8	.4
\$10,000-\$10,999 .....	.6	.9	1.0	.8	1.0	1.5	.6	1.3
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.3	.7	1.5	1.2	1.3	1.7	1.2	3.6
\$12,000-\$12,999 .....	.4	.9	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.3	2.3	1.1
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.4	.6	1.6	.9	1.3	2.4	1.7	5.0
\$14,000-\$14,999 .....	.5	1.2	2.0	1.6	2.4	1.8	2.1	2.9
\$15,000-\$19,999	3.0	5.2	10.9	8.2	10.6	11.5	15.9	16.5
\$20,000-\$24,999	3.7	6.9	11.8	9.1	12.0	13.5	15.6	12.6
\$25,000-\$29,999	4.6	7.0	10.5	8.7	10.6	11.8	12.4	10.9
\$30,000-\$34,999	4.4	7.4	8.2	8.3	8.1	7.9	8.1	9.9
\$35,000-\$39,999	4.9	4.4	7.7	8.1	8.1	7.5	7.1	5.6
\$40,000-\$44,999	5.3	6.9	5.2	6.9	4.4	4.2	4.5	4.3
\$45,000-\$49,999	5.2	8.2	4.5	5.9	4.6	4.7	1.6	2.2
\$50,000-\$54,999	5.5	5.7	3.4	4.2	3.7	3.1	.9	2.6
\$55,000-\$59,999	5.1	3.8	3.2	3.5	3.3	2.2	3.7	3.8
\$60,000-\$64,999	5.0	3.1	2.6	3.1	3.0	2.1	1.4	1.9
\$65,000-\$69,999	3.9	4.1	2.8	3.4	3.5	2.0	1.8	.5
\$70,000-\$74,999	3.7	3.6	2.0	2.8	1.6	1.8	1.6	.8
\$75,000-\$99,999	17.0	13.0	6.4	7.5	7.3	5.2	4.7	2.3
\$100,000-\$149,999	13.9	8.8	5.7	6.8	5.1	5.8	4.4	5.3
\$150,000-\$199,999	3.7	1.9	1.8	2.5	1.8	1.1	1.7	.5
\$200,000 or more	5.3	2.4	1.4	1.8	1.0	1.6	1.1	1.2
Median income	\$62,495	\$47,890	\$32,804	\$39,224	\$32,986	\$29,837	\$26,940	\$25,480

Table II.1.—Family total money income by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998 —Continued

Family income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Nonmarried persons							
Number (in thousands)	5,043	1,818	14,487	3,086	3,329	3,163	2,581	2,327
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	4.1	2.8	1.5	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.4	2.5
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.9	.3	.3	.2	.4	.1	.4	.3
\$2,000-\$2,999	1.0	.3	.4	.4	.4	.7	.3	.3
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.7	.9	.7	1.0	.5	.4	.8	.5
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.2	.4	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.5
\$5,000-\$5,999	3.2	4.7	2.5	3.0	2.1	2.5	2.7	2.2
\$6,000-\$6,999	3.4	5.1	5.0	4.9	5.2	6.0	4.4	4.2
\$7,000-\$7,999	2.4	2.9	5.1	5.0	5.2	5.7	4.7	4.6
\$8,000-\$8,999	2.5	3.1	4.8	4.5	4.6	5.4	4.8	4.8
\$9,000-\$9,999	2.1	3.3	4.7	4.2	4.9	4.0	5.3	5.6
\$10,000-\$10,999	2.7	2.3	5.3	4.0	5.8	5.0	5.7	6.1
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.6	3.5	4.1	2.8	3.2	5.0	5.1	4.7
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.5	2.2	3.7	3.3	2.6	4.4	4.4	4.4
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.3	2.3	4.2	4.0	3.5	4.0	4.9	4.8
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.7	2.2	3.7	3.4	2.7	4.8	4.2	3.6
\$15,000-\$19,999	7.2	9.8	12.6	11.4	13.5	11.1	14.2	13.4
\$20,000-\$24,999	8.2	10.4	7.8	8.3	8.9	7.4	7.7	6.1
\$25,000-\$29,999	7.8	6.8	6.2	6.7	6.3	6.4	5.7	5.7
\$30,000-\$34,999	7.2	6.6	4.5	6.3	4.4	4.2	3.1	4.1
\$35,000-\$39,999	6.8	4.5	3.5	3.2	4.5	3.9	2.7	3.0
\$40,000-\$44,999	4.7	4.3	2.8	2.7	3.5	2.5	3.1	2.0
\$45,000-\$49,999	3.5	2.6	2.2	2.9	2.0	2.2	1.9	1.8
\$50,000-\$54,999	3.6	2.2	1.9	2.3	2.2	1.9	2.2	.8
\$55,000-\$59,999	2.6	2.1	1.4	1.8	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.6
\$60,000-\$64,999	3.0	2.3	1.0	1.2	.9	.8	.9	1.5
\$65,000-\$69,999	2.0	2.9	1.2	1.6	1.1	1.3	.7	1.1
\$70,000-\$74,999	2.0	1.7	1.1	1.1	1.3	.9	1.1	.9
\$75,000-\$99,999	5.2	3.8	2.7	2.9	3.1	2.8	1.6	3.2
\$100,000-\$149,999	3.4	2.0	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.6	3.3
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.4	.6	.5	.8	.3	.1	.8	.3
\$200,000 or more .....	.8	1.0	.6	.9	.4	.3	.3	1.0
Median income	\$26,439	\$21,376	\$15,939	\$18,402	\$17,095	\$15,061	\$14,917	\$15,044

Table II.1.—Family total money income by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998 —Continued

Family income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Nonmarried men							
Number (in thousands)	1,928	635	3,622	932	893	774	508	515
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	4.4	3.0	1.6	1.5	2.6	1.7	.4	.8
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.9	.7	.2	.0	.8	.0	.0	.0
\$2,000-\$2,999	1.2	.5	.4	.2	.6	.1	1.1	.0
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.4	.9	.8	1.6	.5	1.0	.6	.0
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.0	.6	.8	1.0	.9	.7	.4	1.0
\$5,000-\$5,999	2.9	3.6	2.1	3.3	3.0	.8	.8	1.7
\$6,000-\$6,999	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.5	4.0	3.3	2.7	2.0
\$7,000-\$7,999	3.7	2.7	3.8	4.7	2.9	5.1	3.1	2.7
\$8,000-\$8,999	1.3	3.7	3.9	5.0	3.5	4.5	4.1	1.3
\$9,000-\$9,999	1.3	3.4	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.1
\$10,000-\$10,999	2.4	1.3	3.4	3.1	3.8	2.0	2.9	6.0
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.2	3.6	2.6	1.3	2.8	3.3	4.9	1.7
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.1	1.9	3.6	3.2	2.5	5.9	3.2	3.4
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.7	1.3	3.9	3.0	3.2	4.2	5.2	5.3
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.6	1.3	3.3	3.4	2.6	3.2	3.1	4.4
\$15,000-\$19,999	7.0	8.8	13.6	11.3	12.2	13.8	15.4	17.8
\$20,000-\$24,999	8.5	14.1	8.4	8.6	7.4	8.9	8.7	8.9
\$25,000-\$29,999	7.2	6.8	7.2	6.7	6.3	10.9	6.6	4.4
\$30,000-\$34,999	6.9	6.9	5.1	6.8	4.4	4.2	4.8	5.2
\$35,000-\$39,999	7.0	5.2	3.6	2.2	6.1	1.9	3.9	3.7
\$40,000-\$44,999	3.9	2.4	3.1	3.1	2.5	1.8	6.2	3.2
\$45,000-\$49,999	3.5	2.0	3.0	2.6	3.3	3.3	1.9	3.6
\$50,000-\$54,999	4.1	2.4	3.2	3.1	3.6	4.1	1.4	2.8
\$55,000-\$59,999	2.9	2.8	1.3	1.5	1.3	.9	1.7	1.1
\$60,000-\$64,999	3.2	2.9	1.5	1.9	1.5	.2	1.6	2.4
\$65,000-\$69,999	3.2	4.9	1.4	1.9	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.8
\$70,000-\$74,999	2.2	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.3
\$75,000-\$99,999	5.7	4.6	3.9	3.3	5.6	4.7	1.0	3.3
\$100,000-\$149,999	4.5	2.4	3.7	3.0	4.2	2.9	5.1	4.2
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.7	.0	.8	1.5	.2	.4	1.6	.5
\$200,000 or more	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.8	.7	.0	.7	1.6
Median income	\$28,831	\$23,100	\$19,616	\$20,044	\$19,850	\$19,134	\$19,357	\$19,679

Table II.1.—Family total money income by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998 —Continued

Family income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Nonmarried women							
Number (in thousands)	3,115	1,184	10,864	2,154	2,436	2,389	2,073	1,812
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	3.9	2.7	1.4	1.1	1.0	.9	1.6	3.0
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.9	.0	.3	.3	.3	.2	.6	.4
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.9	.3	.5	.5	.4	.9	.1	.4
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.9	.9	.6	.8	.5	.2	.8	.6
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.3	.3	1.3	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.6
\$5,000-\$5,999	3.4	5.3	2.6	2.9	1.8	3.1	3.2	2.3
\$6,000-\$6,999	3.7	6.1	5.6	5.5	5.7	6.8	4.8	4.8
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.7	3.0	5.5	5.2	6.0	5.8	5.1	5.2
\$8,000-\$8,999	3.3	2.7	5.1	4.3	5.0	5.7	5.0	5.8
\$9,000-\$9,999	2.7	3.2	4.9	4.1	5.2	3.9	5.5	6.0
\$10,000-\$10,999	2.9	2.9	5.9	4.4	6.5	6.0	6.4	6.1
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.9	3.5	4.6	3.4	3.3	5.5	5.2	5.5
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.8	2.3	3.8	3.3	2.6	3.9	4.7	4.7
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.7	2.9	4.3	4.5	3.6	4.0	4.8	4.7
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.7	2.8	3.9	3.5	2.8	5.4	4.5	3.4
\$15,000-\$19,999	7.3	10.4	12.3	11.4	13.9	10.2	13.9	12.1
\$20,000-\$24,999	8.0	8.4	7.6	8.2	9.4	7.0	7.5	5.3
\$25,000-\$29,999	8.2	6.7	5.9	6.7	6.3	5.0	5.5	6.1
\$30,000-\$34,999	7.4	6.4	4.3	6.1	4.4	4.2	2.6	3.7
\$35,000-\$39,999	6.7	4.2	3.5	3.7	3.9	4.5	2.4	2.8
\$40,000-\$44,999	5.2	5.3	2.7	2.5	3.9	2.8	2.3	1.6
\$45,000-\$49,999	3.5	3.0	1.9	3.1	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.2
\$50,000-\$54,999	3.2	2.1	1.5	1.9	1.6	1.2	2.4	.3
\$55,000-\$59,999	2.5	1.8	1.5	2.0	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.8
\$60,000-\$64,999	2.9	2.0	.9	.9	.7	1.1	.7	1.3
\$65,000-\$69,999	1.3	1.9	1.1	1.5	1.1	1.4	.5	.9
\$70,000-\$74,999	1.9	1.9	1.0	.9	1.2	.8	1.0	.8
\$75,000-\$99,999	4.9	3.4	2.4	2.7	2.2	2.2	1.7	3.2
\$100,000-\$149,999	2.8	1.7	2.4	2.7	2.0	2.6	1.9	3.1
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.2	1.0	.3	.6	.3	.0	.6	.3
\$200,000 or more .....	.4	1.0	.4	.6	.3	.4	.2	.8
Median income	\$25,597	\$20,264	\$14,966	\$17,572	\$16,227	\$14,284	\$14,133	\$13,814

Table II.2.—Family total money income by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units 55 or older, 1998

Family income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	All beneficiary units ¹							
Number (in thousands)	1,478	2,141	22,257	5,452	5,684	4,952	3,595	2,575
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000 .....	.3	.6	.1	.0	.1	.2	.3	.1
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.1	.1	.1	.0	.2	.0	.2	.2
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.3	.1	.3	.3	.2	.4	.3	.3
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.3	.4	.3	.4	.3	.1	.5	.5
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.4	.2	.8	.5	.9	.8	.6	1.2
\$5,000-\$5,999	2.3	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.2	1.5	1.8	1.8
\$6,000-\$6,999	4.3	2.9	3.0	2.3	2.9	3.8	2.9	3.8
\$7,000-\$7,999	3.1	2.2	3.2	2.7	2.7	3.8	3.3	4.1
\$8,000-\$8,999	5.5	2.4	3.2	2.5	2.9	3.7	3.6	4.1
\$9,000-\$9,999	5.0	2.7	3.3	2.6	3.2	2.7	4.1	5.0
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.3	2.2	3.7	2.4	3.8	3.7	4.3	5.6
\$11,000-\$11,999	2.9	3.3	3.1	2.1	2.4	3.6	4.0	4.8
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.4	2.4	2.8	2.2	1.8	3.3	3.9	4.2
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.9	1.9	3.3	2.7	2.5	3.6	3.8	5.3
\$14,000-\$14,999	2.1	2.5	3.1	2.3	2.7	3.7	3.6	3.7
\$15,000-\$19,999	8.9	9.2	12.7	10.9	12.9	11.2	15.6	14.8
\$20,000-\$24,999	9.1	9.9	10.0	9.6	10.6	10.4	10.8	7.5
\$25,000-\$29,999	8.3	8.0	8.3	8.3	8.4	8.8	8.3	6.6
\$30,000-\$34,999	4.2	7.7	6.1	7.5	6.4	5.8	4.5	5.3
\$35,000-\$39,999	4.9	4.2	5.3	6.0	6.0	5.4	4.1	3.6
\$40,000-\$44,999	6.0	5.1	3.6	4.5	3.8	3.1	3.4	2.5
\$45,000-\$49,999	3.8	6.6	3.2	4.7	3.1	3.3	1.8	1.6
\$50,000-\$54,999	2.1	3.2	2.4	3.3	2.9	2.1	1.8	1.1
\$55,000-\$59,999	2.4	3.1	2.2	2.8	2.1	1.6	2.2	1.9
\$60,000-\$64,999	2.2	2.2	1.7	2.1	1.9	1.4	1.1	1.5
\$65,000-\$69,999	1.5	2.6	1.8	2.4	2.2	1.6	1.0	1.0
\$70,000-\$74,999	2.1	1.5	1.4	2.0	1.3	1.2	1.2	.9
\$75,000-\$99,999	5.7	6.6	4.0	4.5	4.9	4.0	2.6	2.9
\$100,000-\$149,999	3.2	2.9	3.8	4.8	3.6	3.7	3.1	2.9
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.3	.9	.9	1.1	1.0	.5	.9	.4
\$200,000 or more3	.5	.8	1.1	.7	.8	.5	.9
Median income	\$23,100	\$28,204	\$22,504	\$28,055	\$24,146	\$21,658	\$19,010	\$16,450

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Table II.2.—Family total money income by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units 55 or older, 1998 —Continued

Family income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Married couples							
Number (in thousands)	731	1,133	9,248	2,884	2,675	2,030	1,195	463
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000 .....	.0	.0	.1	.0	.1	.2	.0	.0
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.2	.0	.1	.0	.1	.1	.2	.0
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.3	.0	.0	.1	.1	.0	.0	.0
\$4,000-\$4,999 .....	.5	.2	.1	.0	.3	.0	.0	.0
\$5,000-\$5,999 .....	.3	.3	.3	.2	.4	.3	.3	.0
\$6,000-\$6,999 .....	.0	.2	.3	.0	.3	.8	.2	.8
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.1	.5	.4	.3	.3	.7	.5	.8
\$8,000-\$8,999	2.0	.3	.6	.4	.6	.9	.8	.4
\$9,000-\$9,999	4.3	.8	.8	.7	.7	.6	1.6	.4
\$10,000-\$10,999	1.9	1.5	.9	.5	1.1	1.3	.5	1.3
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.6	1.1	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.7	1.3	3.8
\$12,000-\$12,999 .....	.8	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.4	2.2	1.2
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.6	.5	1.7	1.0	1.2	2.5	1.7	5.2
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.5	1.6	1.9	1.2	2.5	1.7	2.1	2.9
\$15,000-\$19,999	9.5	7.7	11.7	9.0	11.2	11.7	16.7	17.3
\$20,000-\$24,999	8.9	9.2	12.6	10.1	12.4	14.0	16.2	13.3
\$25,000-\$29,999	9.9	9.9	11.0	9.6	10.7	12.2	12.9	10.9
\$30,000-\$34,999	3.6	8.7	8.7	9.1	8.4	8.1	8.5	10.4
\$35,000-\$39,999	6.2	5.9	8.0	8.8	8.1	7.8	7.1	5.5
\$40,000-\$44,999	8.6	6.6	5.1	6.8	4.2	4.4	4.5	4.5
\$45,000-\$49,999	4.8	10.0	4.8	6.6	4.8	4.8	1.6	2.3
\$50,000-\$54,999	2.2	5.2	3.3	4.5	3.6	2.7	1.0	2.2
\$55,000-\$59,999	4.2	3.9	3.3	3.6	3.3	2.2	3.9	4.0
\$60,000-\$64,999	3.4	2.7	2.6	3.0	3.0	2.3	1.5	2.0
\$65,000-\$69,999	2.5	3.5	2.8	3.2	3.7	2.1	1.7	.5
\$70,000-\$74,999	3.3	2.1	2.0	2.8	1.6	1.8	1.7	.9
\$75,000-\$99,999	10.2	9.5	5.9	6.4	7.0	5.4	4.7	2.3
\$100,000-\$149,999	5.5	4.7	5.6	6.6	5.1	5.6	4.5	5.6
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.7	1.1	1.5	1.8	1.9	1.1	1.1	.5
\$200,000 or more5	.6	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.5	.9	.7
Median income	\$37,091	\$39,871	\$32,518	\$38,163	\$32,941	\$30,232	\$27,222	\$25,677

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Table II.2.—Family total money income by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units 55 or older, 1998 —*Continued*

Family income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Nonmarried persons							
Number (in thousands)	748	1,008	13,009	2,567	3,009	2,921	2,400	2,111
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000 .....	.5	1.1	.2	.1	.1	.1	.4	.1
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.3	.3	.2	.0	.4	.1	.4	.3
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.3	.3	.4	.5	.3	.6	.3	.3
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.3	.8	.6	.8	.6	.2	.7	.6
\$4,000-\$4,999	2.3	.2	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.3	.9	1.5
\$5,000-\$5,999	4.2	3.4	2.3	2.6	1.9	2.4	2.5	2.2
\$6,000-\$6,999	8.5	5.8	5.0	4.8	5.3	5.9	4.2	4.5
\$7,000-\$7,999	5.1	4.2	5.2	5.4	4.9	5.9	4.7	4.9
\$8,000-\$8,999	8.9	4.8	5.1	4.9	5.0	5.6	5.0	5.0
\$9,000-\$9,999	5.7	4.9	5.1	4.7	5.4	4.3	5.3	6.0
\$10,000-\$10,999	4.7	3.0	5.7	4.5	6.2	5.4	6.2	6.6
\$11,000-\$11,999	4.1	5.7	4.3	3.0	3.4	4.8	5.3	5.0
\$12,000-\$12,999	3.9	3.4	3.9	3.2	2.4	4.6	4.7	4.8
\$13,000-\$13,999	2.2	3.5	4.5	4.6	3.5	4.4	4.8	5.3
\$14,000-\$14,999	2.7	3.6	4.0	3.6	2.9	5.2	4.3	3.8
\$15,000-\$19,999	8.4	10.9	13.4	13.0	14.3	10.9	15.1	14.2
\$20,000-\$24,999	9.3	10.7	8.1	9.0	9.0	7.9	8.1	6.2
\$25,000-\$29,999	6.8	5.8	6.3	6.9	6.4	6.4	6.0	5.6
\$30,000-\$34,999	4.8	6.5	4.3	5.6	4.6	4.2	2.6	4.2
\$35,000-\$39,999	3.5	2.4	3.4	2.9	4.2	3.7	2.6	3.1
\$40,000-\$44,999	3.3	3.4	2.5	1.9	3.5	2.3	2.8	2.0
\$45,000-\$49,999	2.8	2.8	2.0	2.5	1.7	2.2	1.9	1.5
\$50,000-\$54,999	2.0	1.0	1.8	2.1	2.2	1.7	2.2	.8
\$55,000-\$59,999 .....	.6	2.1	1.4	1.9	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.4
\$60,000-\$64,999	1.1	1.7	1.0	1.0	1.0	.9	.9	1.4
\$65,000-\$69,999 .....	.5	1.6	1.1	1.5	1.0	1.3	.6	1.1
\$70,000-\$74,999 .....	.9	.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	.8	1.0	.9
\$75,000-\$99,999	1.2	3.3	2.6	2.4	3.0	3.0	1.5	3.1
\$100,000-\$149,999	1.0	.8	2.5	2.8	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.0	.6	.4	.4	.3	.1	.8	.4
\$200,000 or more0	.4	.6	1.1	.3	.3	.3	1.0
Median income	\$13,398	\$17,133	\$15,743	\$17,620	\$16,885	\$14,959	\$15,032	\$14,910

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Table II.2.—Family total money income by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units 55 or older, 1998 —*Continued*

Family income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Nonmarried men							
Number (in thousands)	270	339	3,152	744	774	695	475	463
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000 .....	.0	2.7	.1	.2	.2	.1	.0	.0
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.0	.8	.2	.0	.9	.0	.0	.0
\$2,000-\$2,999	1.0	.9	.4	.2	.6	.0	1.2	.0
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.0	.0	.5	1.0	.6	.0	.7	.0
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.9	.0	.9	.9	1.0	.8	.5	1.2
\$5,000-\$5,999	3.2	2.1	1.8	2.3	2.4	.9	.9	1.9
\$6,000-\$6,999	7.7	4.9	3.1	3.1	4.1	2.8	2.7	1.9
\$7,000-\$7,999	8.9	3.2	3.9	5.4	2.0	5.5	3.0	3.0
\$8,000-\$8,999	6.5	6.4	4.0	5.1	3.9	4.4	4.4	1.5
\$9,000-\$9,999	7.2	5.9	4.7	5.5	5.0	4.7	3.2	4.6
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.8	.9	3.8	3.3	4.4	2.2	3.1	6.6
\$11,000-\$11,999	5.1	6.7	2.8	1.4	2.8	3.4	5.2	1.5
\$12,000-\$12,999	3.5	3.3	3.6	2.4	2.2	6.2	3.4	3.8
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.7	1.3	4.3	3.8	3.5	4.7	4.2	5.9
\$14,000-\$14,999	3.5	1.6	3.5	3.1	3.0	3.6	3.3	4.8
\$15,000-\$19,999	7.2	10.3	15.1	13.5	13.7	14.6	16.5	19.2
\$20,000-\$24,999	13.9	14.5	9.1	10.3	7.5	9.3	8.8	9.6
\$25,000-\$29,999	6.4	6.8	7.2	6.7	6.6	10.9	6.6	4.0
\$30,000-\$34,999	4.7	7.7	5.1	6.7	5.0	4.4	4.3	4.7
\$35,000-\$39,999	2.6	4.5	3.7	2.8	5.8	1.8	4.1	4.1
\$40,000-\$44,999	2.3	.7	2.9	2.0	2.7	1.7	6.3	2.8
\$45,000-\$49,999	3.9	1.5	2.8	2.9	2.6	3.6	2.1	3.0
\$50,000-\$54,999	3.1	.3	2.9	2.7	3.9	3.2	1.5	2.7
\$55,000-\$59,999 .....	.0	2.2	1.4	1.8	1.1	1.0	1.8	1.2
\$60,000-\$64,999 .....	.0	2.5	1.5	2.2	1.7	.2	1.7	2.0
\$65,000-\$69,999 .....	.4	1.6	1.2	1.7	1.3	.9	.6	1.4
\$70,000-\$74,999 .....	.0	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.4	1.2	1.4
\$75,000-\$99,999	2.5	4.4	3.8	3.0	5.8	4.8	.8	3.4
\$100,000-\$149,999 .....	.0	.9	3.2	2.4	3.6	2.6	5.5	2.1
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.0	.0	.6	.3	.3	.5	1.7	.5
\$200,000 or more0	.0	1.0	2.3	.5	.0	.7	1.3
Median income	\$14,036	\$19,727	\$19,397	\$19,769	\$19,947	\$19,260	\$19,376	\$18,799

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Table II.2.—Family total money income by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of Social Security beneficiary units 55 or older, 1998 —Continued

Family income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Nonmarried women							
Number (in thousands)	478	669	9,857	1,823	2,235	2,226	1,925	1,648
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000 .....	.8	.4	.2	.0	.0	.2	.5	.1
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.5	.0	.2	.0	.3	.1	.4	.3
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.0	.0	.4	.6	.2	.8	.1	.4
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.5	1.2	.6	.6	.6	.3	.8	.7
\$4,000-\$4,999	2.6	.4	1.4	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.0	1.6
\$5,000-\$5,999	4.7	4.1	2.5	2.8	1.7	2.8	2.9	2.2
\$6,000-\$6,999	8.9	6.3	5.6	5.5	5.7	6.9	4.5	5.2
\$7,000-\$7,999	2.9	4.7	5.6	5.4	5.9	6.1	5.1	5.4
\$8,000-\$8,999	10.2	4.0	5.5	4.8	5.4	6.0	5.2	5.9
\$9,000-\$9,999	4.8	4.4	5.2	4.4	5.5	4.1	5.9	6.4
\$10,000-\$10,999	5.2	4.0	6.4	5.0	6.9	6.4	6.9	6.5
\$11,000-\$11,999	3.5	5.2	4.7	3.6	3.6	5.3	5.3	6.0
\$12,000-\$12,999	4.2	3.4	4.0	3.5	2.5	4.1	5.0	5.1
\$13,000-\$13,999	3.0	4.6	4.5	5.0	3.6	4.3	4.9	5.1
\$14,000-\$14,999	2.2	4.5	4.1	3.8	2.9	5.7	4.5	3.6
\$15,000-\$19,999	9.1	11.2	12.9	12.7	14.5	9.7	14.8	12.8
\$20,000-\$24,999	6.6	8.7	7.8	8.5	9.5	7.4	7.9	5.3
\$25,000-\$29,999	7.1	5.3	6.0	7.0	6.3	5.0	5.9	6.1
\$30,000-\$34,999	4.8	5.9	4.0	5.1	4.5	4.2	2.1	4.1
\$35,000-\$39,999	4.0	1.3	3.3	2.9	3.7	4.3	2.3	2.8
\$40,000-\$44,999	4.0	4.8	2.4	1.9	3.8	2.4	1.9	1.8
\$45,000-\$49,999	2.3	3.5	1.7	2.4	1.4	1.7	1.9	1.1
\$50,000-\$54,999	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.9	1.6	1.2	2.4	.3
\$55,000-\$59,999 .....	.9	2.0	1.4	1.9	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.4
\$60,000-\$64,999	1.8	1.3	.9	.5	.8	1.1	.7	1.3
\$65,000-\$69,999 .....	.6	1.6	1.1	1.4	.8	1.5	.6	1.0
\$70,000-\$74,999	1.5	.7	.9	1.1	1.1	.6	1.0	.8
\$75,000-\$99,999 .....	.5	2.7	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.4	1.7	2.9
\$100,000-\$149,999	1.5	.8	2.2	3.0	1.9	2.3	1.6	2.4
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.0	.9	.3	.5	.3	.0	.6	.3
\$200,000 or more .....	.0	.7	.5	.6	.3	.4	.2	.9
Median income	\$13,228	\$16,440	\$14,806	\$16,601	\$16,032	\$14,136	\$14,226	\$13,892

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured,

or special age-72 benefits.

Table III.1.—Total money income of aged units by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	All units							
Number (in thousands)	11,801	3,997	24,644	6,483	6,179	5,333	3,834	2,815
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	4.4	3.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.1	1.8	4.3
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.8	.4	.3	.2	.4	.2	.5	.5
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.9	.4	.5	.5	.3	.6	.6	.5
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.7	.8	.8	.9	.8	.6	.8	1.1
\$4,000-\$4,999 .....	.8	.4	1.4	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.4	2.4
\$5,000-\$5,999	1.6	2.9	2.3	1.6	2.4	2.4	2.8	2.8
\$6,000-\$6,999	2.4	3.0	4.5	3.9	3.7	5.3	4.6	5.7
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.6	2.4	4.5	3.5	3.7	4.6	4.7	7.8
\$8,000-\$8,999	1.6	2.7	4.1	3.0	4.0	4.3	4.7	5.3
\$9,000-\$9,999	1.6	2.8	4.0	3.1	3.8	3.5	4.7	6.3
\$10,000-\$10,999	1.8	2.1	4.4	3.1	4.3	4.3	5.4	6.6
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.9	1.9	3.6	2.4	2.9	4.1	4.8	5.7
\$12,000-\$12,999	1.4	1.7	3.2	2.7	2.3	3.5	3.9	4.8
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.1	1.7	3.2	2.4	2.7	3.9	3.8	4.2
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.3	1.9	3.2	2.6	2.8	3.8	4.0	3.3
\$15,000-\$19,999	5.7	8.5	12.8	10.8	13.2	11.9	15.9	13.7
\$20,000-\$24,999	6.1	9.2	9.6	8.8	11.1	10.4	9.9	6.5
\$25,000-\$29,999	6.1	6.8	6.9	7.6	7.2	7.5	6.7	4.1
\$30,000-\$34,999	5.7	6.3	5.5	6.6	6.1	5.4	3.9	4.1
\$35,000-\$39,999	5.4	4.1	4.3	5.5	5.0	4.0	3.4	2.1
\$40,000-\$44,999	4.7	5.6	2.8	4.0	2.9	2.4	2.2	1.6
\$45,000-\$49,999	4.1	4.1	2.4	4.2	2.1	2.2	1.1	.9
\$50,000-\$54,999	4.3	3.3	1.8	2.7	2.1	1.7	.8	.6
\$55,000-\$59,999	3.5	2.3	1.6	2.1	1.6	1.3	1.3	1.1
\$60,000-\$64,999	3.8	2.4	1.1	1.7	1.2	.7	.7	1.0
\$65,000-\$69,999	2.9	2.5	1.3	1.7	1.8	1.1	.7	.6
\$70,000-\$74,999	2.7	2.1	.9	1.2	1.0	.8	.6	.2
\$75,000-\$99,999	9.7	7.4	2.7	3.6	3.3	2.5	1.7	.9
\$100,000-\$149,999	7.6	4.6	2.5	3.9	2.3	2.5	1.6	1.0
\$150,000-\$199,999	1.9	.8	.7	1.1	.8	.4	.8	.1
\$200,000 or more	3.0	1.5	.6	1.2	.5	.4	.2	.2
Median income	\$38,098	\$27,599	\$17,777	\$23,038	\$19,635	\$17,002	\$15,369	\$12,290

Table III.1.—Total money income of aged units by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998 —Continued

Unit income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Married couples							
Number (in thousands)	6,758	2,179	10,158	3,397	2,850	2,170	1,253	488
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.2	.8	1.7
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.1	.2	.2	.2	.1	.2	.2	.0
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.1	.1	.3	.2	.2	.3	.9	.0
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.3	.4	.2	.0	.4	.4	.0	.0
\$4,000-\$4,999 .....	.2	.2	.2	.0	.4	.1	.1	.0
\$5,000-\$5,999 .....	.3	.4	.4	.2	.4	.6	.5	.0
\$6,000-\$6,999 .....	.4	.5	.5	.4	.3	1.0	.5	.0
\$7,000-\$7,999 .....	.4	.7	.5	.3	.4	.9	.4	1.6
\$8,000-\$8,999 .....	.4	.9	.8	.7	.8	.9	.8	1.1
\$9,000-\$9,999 .....	.7	.9	1.1	1.1	1.0	.6	2.5	.4
\$10,000-\$10,999 .....	.8	.9	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.1	2.2
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.5	.9	1.7	1.4	1.7	2.0	1.5	3.6
\$12,000-\$12,999 .....	.5	1.2	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	2.2	1.9
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.6	.9	1.9	1.2	1.5	2.9	1.8	5.0
\$14,000-\$14,999 .....	.7	1.2	2.3	1.9	2.6	2.1	2.1	3.4
\$15,000-\$19,999	3.4	6.3	12.1	9.2	11.7	12.7	17.4	17.9
\$20,000-\$24,999	4.4	7.7	12.6	10.0	13.4	13.9	15.4	12.4
\$25,000-\$29,999	5.1	7.1	10.9	9.8	10.6	12.3	12.4	11.1
\$30,000-\$34,999	5.2	7.3	8.7	8.9	8.8	8.1	8.1	10.8
\$35,000-\$39,999	5.3	5.3	7.5	8.2	7.9	6.7	6.7	5.2
\$40,000-\$44,999	5.4	7.9	5.0	6.4	4.6	4.2	4.2	4.3
\$45,000-\$49,999	5.3	6.6	4.5	6.8	4.1	3.9	1.6	1.8
\$50,000-\$54,999	5.9	5.0	2.8	3.6	3.0	2.6	.9	2.6
\$55,000-\$59,999	5.1	3.6	3.0	3.3	2.9	2.4	2.8	3.9
\$60,000-\$64,999	5.0	3.3	2.3	2.8	2.3	1.6	2.1	2.1
\$65,000-\$69,999	4.2	3.3	2.3	2.4	3.2	1.8	1.5	.5
\$70,000-\$74,999	3.9	2.9	1.7	2.1	1.6	1.6	1.3	.5
\$75,000-\$99,999	14.7	11.7	5.0	5.4	5.5	4.9	4.4	1.8
\$100,000-\$149,999	11.6	7.6	4.9	6.1	4.1	5.1	3.7	3.8
\$150,000-\$199,999	3.1	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.1	1.5	.0
\$200,000 or more	4.8	2.3	1.2	1.7	.9	1.1	.5	.5
Median income	\$56,928	\$43,322	\$30,176	\$35,134	\$30,345	\$27,874	\$25,680	\$24,345

Table III.1.—Total money income of aged units by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998 —*Continued*

Unit income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Nonmarried persons							
Number (in thousands)	5,043	1,818	14,487	3,086	3,329	3,163	2,581	2,327
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	8.1	5.9	3.3	3.5	3.2	2.6	2.3	4.9
\$1,000-\$1,999	1.8	.6	.5	.3	.7	.2	.6	.6
\$2,000-\$2,999	1.8	.7	.6	.7	.5	.8	.4	.7
\$3,000-\$3,999	1.2	1.4	1.2	1.9	1.2	.6	1.2	1.4
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.6	.6	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.1	2.9
\$5,000-\$5,999	3.3	5.9	3.7	3.2	4.1	3.7	3.9	3.4
\$6,000-\$6,999	5.1	6.1	7.3	7.8	6.7	8.2	6.7	6.8
\$7,000-\$7,999	3.2	4.6	7.2	7.1	6.4	7.2	6.8	9.1
\$8,000-\$8,999	3.2	4.9	6.3	5.5	6.7	6.7	6.6	6.2
\$9,000-\$9,999	2.7	5.0	6.0	5.3	6.3	5.5	5.7	7.5
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.2	3.5	6.7	5.3	7.2	6.4	7.5	7.5
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.4	3.2	5.0	3.6	3.9	5.6	6.3	6.1
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.7	2.4	4.3	3.9	2.9	4.9	4.7	5.4
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.7	2.7	4.2	3.8	3.8	4.6	4.7	4.1
\$14,000-\$14,999	2.1	2.7	3.9	3.4	3.0	4.9	4.9	3.3
\$15,000-\$19,999	8.8	11.0	13.3	12.6	14.5	11.4	15.2	12.9
\$20,000-\$24,999	8.3	11.1	7.6	7.5	9.2	8.0	7.3	5.3
\$25,000-\$29,999	7.3	6.5	4.1	5.1	4.2	4.2	4.0	2.6
\$30,000-\$34,999	6.4	5.1	3.2	4.0	3.7	3.6	1.9	2.7
\$35,000-\$39,999	5.6	2.7	2.2	2.5	2.6	2.2	1.8	1.5
\$40,000-\$44,999	3.8	2.8	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.0
\$45,000-\$49,999	2.5	1.1	.9	1.4	.4	1.0	.9	.7
\$50,000-\$54,999	2.2	1.4	1.1	1.7	1.3	1.1	.7	.2
\$55,000-\$59,999	1.5	.7	.6	.8	.5	.5	.6	.5
\$60,000-\$64,999	2.2	1.3	.3	.5	.2	.2	.0	.8
\$65,000-\$69,999	1.2	1.6	.6	.8	.7	.7	.3	.6
\$70,000-\$74,999	1.1	1.1	.3	.3	.5	.2	.3	.2
\$75,000-\$99,999	3.0	2.1	1.0	1.7	1.4	.8	.4	.8
\$100,000-\$149,999	2.1	1.0	.8	1.4	.7	.8	.5	.4
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.3	.1	.2	.6	.1	.0	.4	.1
\$200,000 or more .....	.6	.4	.2	.6	.1	.0	.0	.1
Median income	\$18,513	\$14,973	\$12,015	\$12,969	\$12,367	\$12,031	\$12,046	\$10,954

Table III.1.—Total money income of aged units by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998 —Continued

Unit income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Nonmarried men							
Number (in thousands)	1,928	635	3,622	932	893	774	508	515
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	6.9	6.0	3.3	3.2	3.5	4.4	1.2	3.8
\$1,000-\$1,999	1.4	.8	.6	.0	1.2	.0	.5	1.3
\$2,000-\$2,999	2.3	.5	.5	.6	.6	.1	1.1	.0
\$3,000-\$3,999	1.5	1.4	1.5	2.0	1.1	1.0	2.1	1.4
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.5	.6	1.4	1.6	.9	.7	1.9	2.2
\$5,000-\$5,999	2.2	4.0	2.6	2.4	4.5	1.3	1.7	2.2
\$6,000-\$6,999	4.3	3.0	4.6	5.5	5.2	4.5	4.2	2.6
\$7,000-\$7,999	4.2	3.8	5.7	6.4	3.1	6.4	5.4	8.0
\$8,000-\$8,999	1.6	5.3	5.8	6.5	7.3	7.1	3.4	2.7
\$9,000-\$9,999	1.6	4.9	5.7	5.8	6.5	5.4	4.2	6.1
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.6	3.4	4.7	3.7	5.1	2.4	4.5	9.1
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.3	2.9	3.7	2.0	3.4	4.7	6.1	3.1
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.7	2.1	4.1	3.2	2.8	6.5	4.0	4.2
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.1	1.3	4.2	2.5	3.7	5.3	5.9	4.8
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.8	2.3	3.8	3.4	3.4	4.5	3.5	4.5
\$15,000-\$19,999	7.9	9.3	14.0	11.1	13.6	13.5	17.9	16.8
\$20,000-\$24,999	7.9	14.7	9.4	8.4	9.4	10.9	10.1	8.6
\$25,000-\$29,999	7.1	6.5	5.0	5.8	3.3	6.7	5.8	2.7
\$30,000-\$34,999	5.6	6.1	4.1	5.1	3.2	4.0	3.7	4.3
\$35,000-\$39,999	6.4	3.4	2.7	2.2	4.1	1.8	4.0	1.3
\$40,000-\$44,999	4.1	2.5	1.9	2.6	1.6	.9	1.9	2.6
\$45,000-\$49,999	3.0	1.6	1.3	1.7	.6	1.3	1.3	1.9
\$50,000-\$54,999	3.1	2.2	2.0	2.3	3.4	1.8	.4	.7
\$55,000-\$59,999	2.2	1.1	.9	1.0	.6	.9	.9	1.1
\$60,000-\$64,999	2.5	2.2	.5	1.0	.4	.0	.0	.9
\$65,000-\$69,999	2.3	3.4	1.0	1.6	.6	.8	.8	1.3
\$70,000-\$74,999	1.4	1.1	.5	.4	.9	.3	.5	.0
\$75,000-\$99,999	3.9	2.2	2.2	3.0	3.6	1.6	.7	1.0
\$100,000-\$149,999	2.7	1.1	1.4	2.3	1.7	1.3	.7	.0
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.6	.0	.6	1.5	.2	.0	1.5	.0
\$200,000 or more	1.1	.5	.5	1.2	.4	.0	.0	.4
Median income	\$21,783	\$18,935	\$14,496	\$15,215	\$14,399	\$14,118	\$14,968	\$13,750

Table III.1.—Total money income of aged units by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998 —*Continued*

Unit income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
	Nonmarried women							
Number (in thousands)	3,115	1,184	10,864	2,154	2,436	2,389	2,073	1,812
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	8.9	5.8	3.2	3.7	3.1	2.0	2.6	5.2
\$1,000-\$1,999	2.0	.5	.4	.4	.5	.3	.6	.4
\$2,000-\$2,999	1.6	.8	.7	.7	.5	1.0	.2	.8
\$3,000-\$3,999	1.1	1.4	1.2	1.9	1.2	.5	.9	1.3
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.7	.6	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.8	2.1	3.1
\$5,000-\$5,999	4.0	6.9	4.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	4.4	3.7
\$6,000-\$6,999	5.6	7.7	8.2	8.8	7.3	9.5	7.3	8.0
\$7,000-\$7,999	2.7	4.9	7.8	7.4	7.7	7.4	7.2	9.4
\$8,000-\$8,999	4.2	4.6	6.5	5.1	6.5	6.5	7.4	7.1
\$9,000-\$9,999	3.4	5.1	6.1	5.0	6.2	5.5	6.1	7.9
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.0	3.5	7.4	6.0	7.9	7.7	8.2	7.0
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.4	3.4	5.4	4.2	4.0	5.9	6.4	7.0
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.7	2.6	4.3	4.2	2.9	4.4	4.9	5.8
\$13,000-\$13,999	2.0	3.5	4.2	4.3	3.9	4.4	4.5	3.8
\$14,000-\$14,999	2.2	2.9	3.9	3.4	2.8	5.0	5.2	3.0
\$15,000-\$19,999	9.3	11.9	13.1	13.2	14.9	10.8	14.5	11.7
\$20,000-\$24,999	8.6	9.1	7.0	7.1	9.1	7.0	6.6	4.4
\$25,000-\$29,999	7.4	6.5	3.8	4.8	4.5	3.4	3.5	2.6
\$30,000-\$34,999	6.9	4.6	3.0	3.5	3.9	3.4	1.5	2.2
\$35,000-\$39,999	5.1	2.3	2.0	2.6	2.1	2.3	1.2	1.5
\$40,000-\$44,999	3.5	3.0	1.0	.8	1.3	1.2	1.0	.6
\$45,000-\$49,999	2.1	.8	.7	1.3	.3	.9	.8	.3
\$50,000-\$54,999	1.6	.9	.8	1.4	.6	.9	.8	.1
\$55,000-\$59,999	1.1	.5	.5	.7	.5	.4	.5	.3
\$60,000-\$64,999	2.0	.8	.3	.3	.2	.3	.1	.7
\$65,000-\$69,999 .....	.6	.6	.5	.5	.7	.6	.2	.4
\$70,000-\$74,999 .....	.8	1.1	.2	.2	.3	.1	.3	.3
\$75,000-\$99,999	2.4	2.1	.7	1.1	.6	.6	.4	.7
\$100,000-\$149,999	1.8	1.0	.6	1.0	.3	.6	.5	.5
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.1	.2	.1	.2	.0	.0	.1	.2
\$200,000 or more .....	.3	.4	.1	.3	.0	.0	.0	.0
Median income	\$16,714	\$13,622	\$11,382	\$12,193	\$11,675	\$11,344	\$11,509	\$10,446

Table III.2.—Total money income by age, sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Beneficiary units ¹															
Number (in thousands)	1,478	2,141	22,257	731	1,133	9,248	748	1,008	13,009	270	339	3,152	478	669	9,857
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000 .....	.3	.7	.1	.0	.0	.1	.5	1.5	.2	.0	3.8	.2	.8	.4	.2
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.3	.1	.2	.3	.0	.0	.3	.3	.4	.0	.8	.5	.5	.0	.3
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.6	.2	.4	.2	.0	.1	.9	.5	.6	1.4	.9	.5	.6	.3	.6
\$3,000-\$3,999	1.3	.8	.6	.3	.3	.1	2.4	1.4	1.0	4.8	.8	.9	1.0	1.8	1.1
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.8	.4	1.4	.5	.2	.1	3.0	.6	2.2	2.6	.0	1.4	3.2	.9	2.5
\$5,000-\$5,999	3.0	2.7	2.1	.6	.5	.3	5.4	5.2	3.4	4.2	2.7	2.3	6.0	6.5	3.8
\$6,000-\$6,999	7.5	3.7	4.3	.2	.4	.3	14.5	7.4	7.2	12.9	4.9	4.5	15.5	8.7	8.0
\$7,000-\$7,999	4.6	3.1	4.6	1.2	.7	.5	7.9	5.8	7.5	12.3	4.4	5.9	5.4	6.5	8.0
\$8,000-\$8,999	7.1	4.2	4.2	2.3	.9	.7	11.7	7.8	6.7	10.7	9.3	6.1	12.3	7.0	7.0
\$9,000-\$9,999	5.6	4.0	4.2	4.3	1.2	1.0	7.0	7.1	6.5	7.5	8.6	6.2	6.7	6.3	6.6
\$10,000-\$10,999	4.3	3.2	4.7	2.3	1.6	1.1	6.1	5.0	7.3	5.4	4.4	5.1	6.5	5.4	8.0
\$11,000-\$11,999	3.2	3.1	3.9	2.4	1.3	1.8	4.0	5.2	5.3	5.1	5.3	3.8	3.3	5.1	5.8
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.4	2.8	3.4	1.1	1.9	1.8	3.6	3.8	4.5	6.0	3.3	4.0	2.3	4.0	4.6
\$13,000-\$13,999	3.2	2.4	3.5	2.0	.7	2.0	4.3	4.4	4.6	3.1	1.3	4.7	4.9	5.9	4.5
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.6	2.8	3.3	1.3	1.6	2.2	1.9	4.2	4.1	1.5	3.5	4.0	2.1	4.6	4.1
\$15,000-\$19,999	8.2	10.3	13.6	9.7	8.4	12.8	6.8	12.4	14.2	5.4	10.7	15.6	7.6	13.2	13.7
\$20,000-\$24,999	6.8	10.5	10.1	8.7	11.2	13.3	5.0	9.8	7.9	5.7	14.1	9.8	4.6	7.6	7.3
\$25,000-\$29,999	7.7	7.3	7.3	11.1	9.6	11.5	4.4	4.7	4.3	3.8	5.7	5.2	4.8	4.3	4.0
\$30,000-\$34,999	4.3	6.2	5.7	4.1	8.1	9.1	4.5	4.1	3.3	3.4	5.8	4.2	5.0	3.3	3.0
\$35,000-\$39,999	4.0	4.5	4.4	7.2	7.5	7.8	.8	1.1	2.0	.0	2.3	2.8	1.3	.4	1.8
\$40,000-\$44,999	4.7	4.9	2.7	7.1	7.6	5.0	2.3	1.8	1.1	2.3	.9	1.9	2.3	2.2	.9
\$45,000-\$49,999	2.5	4.8	2.5	4.7	8.5	4.8	.4	.6	.8	.0	.8	1.3	.6	.5	.7
\$50,000-\$54,999	2.2	2.8	1.8	3.8	5.1	2.7	.5	.3	1.1	.0	.1	1.9	.9	.4	.8
\$55,000-\$59,999	1.5	2.3	1.6	3.0	3.8	3.0	.0	.8	.6	.0	1.2	1.0	.0	.5	.5
\$60,000-\$64,999	1.9	1.6	1.0	3.4	2.0	2.0	.5	1.1	.3	.4	1.5	.6	.6	.9	.2
\$65,000-\$69,999	1.4	1.3	1.3	2.5	2.0	2.4	.4	.6	.6	.0	.9	1.0	.6	.4	.5
\$70,000-\$74,999	1.0	.9	.9	1.8	1.4	1.7	.2	.5	.3	.0	1.4	.3	.3	.0	.3
\$75,000-\$99,999	4.8	5.1	2.6	9.3	8.6	4.8	.5	1.1	1.0	1.3	.6	2.1	.0	1.4	.6
\$100,000-\$149,999	1.7	2.2	2.4	3.3	3.7	4.8	.2	.5	.7	.0	.0	1.2	.3	.7	.5
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.3	.4	.6	.7	.7	1.2	.0	.0	.2	.0	.0	.4	.0	.0	.1
\$200,000 or more .....	.3	.5	.5	.5	.6	.9	.0	.4	.2	.0	.0	.5	.0	.7	.1
Median income	\$16,896	\$22,189	\$18,157	\$31,314	\$36,242	\$30,131	\$9,577	\$12,307	\$12,349	\$9,332	\$13,675	\$14,972	\$9,745	\$12,202	\$11,711

See footnote at end of table.

Table III.2.—Total money income by age, sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Nonbeneficiary units														
Number (in thousands)	10,323	1,856	2,388	6,027	1,046	910	4,296	810	1,478	1,658	296	471	2,637	514	1,007
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	4.9	6.5	23.7	1.7	2.8	13.2	9.4	11.2	30.2	8.0	8.5	24.3	10.3	12.8	32.9
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.9	.7	1.5	.1	.4	1.5	2.0	1.0	1.5	1.7	.7	.9	2.3	1.2	1.7
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.9	.5	1.3	.1	.2	2.2	2.0	.9	.7	2.4	.0	.2	1.8	1.4	1.0
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.6	.8	2.5	.3	.5	1.7	1.0	1.3	3.0	1.0	2.0	5.3	1.1	.8	1.9
\$4,000-\$4,999 .....	.7	.4	1.8	.2	.2	.6	1.4	.6	2.6	1.3	1.2	.9	1.4	.3	3.4
\$5,000-\$5,999	1.4	3.1	3.9	.2	.3	.9	2.9	6.7	5.8	1.9	5.4	4.2	3.6	7.4	6.5
\$6,000-\$6,999	1.6	2.3	5.8	.4	.6	1.7	3.4	4.4	8.3	2.9	1.0	5.6	3.8	6.4	9.6
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.2	1.7	3.5	.3	.7	1.2	2.4	3.0	4.9	2.9	3.1	4.3	2.2	2.9	5.2
\$8,000-\$8,999 .....	.8	1.0	2.4	.2	.8	1.9	1.7	1.2	2.7	.1	.7	4.2	2.7	1.5	2.0
\$9,000-\$9,999	1.0	1.4	1.8	.3	.5	2.5	1.9	2.5	1.4	.6	.7	2.2	2.8	3.6	1.0
\$10,000-\$10,999	1.5	.8	1.6	.6	.2	1.9	2.7	1.5	1.4	3.3	2.3	1.6	2.3	1.1	1.4
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.5	.5	1.5	.2	.4	.5	.9	.7	2.1	.7	.0	2.8	1.1	1.2	1.8
\$12,000-\$12,999	1.3	.5	1.7	.4	.4	.5	2.5	.7	2.4	2.2	.7	4.1	2.7	.7	1.6
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.8	.9	.9	.4	1.1	1.1	1.2	.7	.8	.7	1.2	.9	1.5	.4	.7
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.2	.7	2.1	.7	.7	2.7	2.1	.8	1.7	1.9	.9	2.2	2.2	.8	1.4
\$15,000-\$19,999	5.4	6.4	5.0	2.7	4.1	4.4	9.1	9.3	5.4	8.3	7.7	3.3	9.7	10.2	6.3
\$20,000-\$24,999	6.0	7.8	5.2	3.8	4.0	5.4	8.9	12.6	5.1	8.2	15.4	7.2	9.4	11.0	4.1
\$25,000-\$29,999	5.8	6.3	3.5	4.4	4.4	4.7	7.8	8.7	2.8	7.6	7.4	3.4	7.9	9.4	2.6
\$30,000-\$34,999	5.9	6.4	3.8	5.3	6.4	4.9	6.7	6.3	3.1	6.0	6.4	3.1	7.2	6.3	3.0
\$35,000-\$39,999	5.6	3.7	3.6	5.0	3.0	4.0	6.4	4.7	3.4	7.5	4.8	2.0	5.8	4.7	4.0
\$40,000-\$44,999	4.7	6.4	3.4	5.2	8.3	5.5	4.0	4.0	2.1	4.4	4.2	1.8	3.8	3.9	2.2
\$45,000-\$49,999	4.4	3.3	1.7	5.4	4.5	2.2	2.8	1.7	1.4	3.5	2.4	1.5	2.4	1.2	1.4
\$50,000-\$54,999	4.6	4.0	2.1	6.1	5.0	3.9	2.5	2.7	1.0	3.6	4.6	2.5	1.8	1.6	.3
\$55,000-\$59,999	3.8	2.2	1.0	5.3	3.5	2.3	1.8	.6	.3	2.6	.9	.0	1.3	.4	.4
\$60,000-\$64,999	4.1	3.3	2.1	5.2	4.6	4.5	2.5	1.5	.5	2.9	3.0	.0	2.3	.7	.8
\$65,000-\$69,999	3.1	3.9	1.2	4.4	4.7	1.7	1.4	2.9	1.0	2.7	6.4	1.5	.6	.8	.7
\$70,000-\$74,999	2.9	3.4	.9	4.2	4.5	1.4	1.2	1.9	.5	1.6	.8	1.7	.9	2.5	.0
\$75,000-\$99,999	10.4	10.0	3.5	15.4	15.2	6.9	3.4	3.4	1.5	4.3	3.9	3.0	2.8	3.0	.7
\$100,000-\$149,999	8.4	7.4	3.2	12.7	11.8	6.2	2.5	1.8	1.4	3.1	2.5	2.3	2.1	1.4	.9
\$150,000-\$199,999	2.1	1.3	2.0	3.4	2.0	3.9	.3	.3	.9	.7	.0	2.4	.1	.5	.2
\$200,000 or more	3.4	2.5	1.7	5.3	4.2	4.0	.7	.4	.2	1.3	1.1	.5	.3	.0	.1
Median income	\$41,766	\$36,716	\$10,818	\$60,017	\$55,856	\$30,969	\$21,144	\$20,361	\$6,659	\$25,503	\$24,091	\$9,239	\$18,755	\$18,766	\$6,045

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured,

or special age-72 benefits.

Table III.3.—Total money income by age, sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	White														
Number (in thousands)	9,929	3,374	21,610	5,984	1,977	9,288	3,945	1,397	12,322	1,541	484	2,995	2,404	912	9,326
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	3.7	3.0	1.9	1.4	1.0	1.2	7.3	5.7	2.5	5.8	5.3	1.9	8.2	5.9	2.7
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.8	.4	.3	.1	.2	.1	1.8	.8	.4	1.2	.9	.5	2.1	.7	.4
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.7	.3	.4	.1	.1	.3	1.7	.5	.5	1.5	.0	.3	1.8	.8	.5
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.6	.6	.7	.2	.3	.1	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.2	.8	1.4	1.1	1.1	.9
\$4,000-\$4,999 .....	.7	.3	1.1	.2	.2	.1	1.4	.5	1.9	1.4	.0	1.3	1.4	.8	2.1
\$5,000-\$5,999	1.2	2.2	2.0	.3	.4	.3	2.7	4.6	3.2	1.7	3.2	2.2	3.3	5.4	3.5
\$6,000-\$6,999	1.9	2.6	3.5	.3	.4	.4	4.3	5.8	5.9	3.4	3.6	3.5	4.9	6.9	6.7
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.3	1.6	3.8	.4	.5	.5	2.6	3.3	6.3	3.0	4.1	4.3	2.4	2.8	7.0
\$8,000-\$8,999	1.4	1.9	3.6	.3	.5	.5	3.0	3.9	6.0	1.2	5.0	5.9	4.1	3.3	6.0
\$9,000-\$9,999	1.5	2.4	3.8	.8	.8	1.0	2.7	4.6	5.9	1.3	3.3	4.9	3.6	5.3	6.2
\$10,000-\$10,999	1.7	1.8	4.4	.8	.8	1.0	3.0	3.2	7.0	3.7	3.5	4.4	2.6	3.1	7.8
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.8	1.9	3.7	.4	.8	1.5	1.5	3.4	5.3	1.3	3.4	4.0	1.7	3.4	5.8
\$12,000-\$12,999	1.3	1.3	3.4	.4	.9	1.7	2.8	1.8	4.6	2.7	1.3	4.2	2.9	2.0	4.8
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.8	1.6	3.2	.6	.7	1.9	1.1	2.9	4.3	.8	1.2	3.9	1.3	3.7	4.4
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.2	1.9	3.3	.7	1.1	2.1	2.0	3.0	4.1	1.8	2.5	4.1	2.1	3.3	4.1
\$15,000-\$19,999	5.3	8.2	13.4	3.4	5.9	12.0	8.3	11.3	14.5	8.5	9.1	15.2	8.3	12.5	14.3
\$20,000-\$24,999	5.9	9.4	10.0	4.1	7.7	12.6	8.7	11.8	8.1	8.0	15.2	10.0	9.2	10.0	7.5
\$25,000-\$29,999	5.9	7.2	7.3	4.8	7.1	11.1	7.6	7.4	4.5	7.2	6.9	5.7	7.8	7.7	4.1
\$30,000-\$34,999	5.8	6.4	5.9	5.0	7.5	9.0	6.9	4.9	3.6	6.3	5.8	4.6	7.3	4.4	3.2
\$35,000-\$39,999	5.6	4.6	4.7	5.3	5.6	7.7	6.1	3.3	2.4	7.5	4.5	2.9	5.3	2.7	2.2
\$40,000-\$44,999	4.9	6.1	3.0	5.3	8.2	5.1	4.2	3.1	1.3	4.8	2.0	2.2	3.8	3.6	1.1
\$45,000-\$49,999	4.3	4.6	2.6	5.3	6.9	4.6	2.7	1.3	1.0	3.3	1.7	1.5	2.4	1.1	.9
\$50,000-\$54,999	4.3	3.8	1.9	5.6	5.3	2.9	2.3	1.6	1.2	3.4	2.4	2.4	1.6	1.2	.8
\$55,000-\$59,999	3.7	2.6	1.7	5.1	4.0	3.0	1.7	.7	.7	2.4	1.2	1.0	1.2	.4	.6
\$60,000-\$64,999	4.0	2.5	1.2	5.1	3.3	2.3	2.4	1.5	.4	2.5	2.4	.6	2.3	1.0	.3
\$65,000-\$69,999	3.2	2.9	1.5	4.4	3.4	2.4	1.4	2.1	.7	2.5	4.5	1.2	.6	.8	.6
\$70,000-\$74,999	3.1	2.4	.9	4.2	3.1	1.7	1.3	1.4	.3	1.8	1.5	.6	1.1	1.4	.3
\$75,000-\$99,999	10.5	8.1	2.8	15.1	12.0	5.0	3.7	2.7	1.2	4.8	2.8	2.6	2.9	2.6	.7
\$100,000-\$149,999	8.1	4.9	2.6	11.9	7.4	5.0	2.3	1.2	.8	2.9	1.0	1.6	2.0	1.3	.6
\$150,000-\$199,999	2.2	.9	.8	3.4	1.4	1.5	.4	.2	.2	.8	.0	.6	.1	.3	.1
\$200,000 or more	3.3	1.6	.7	5.0	2.4	1.3	.8	.5	.2	1.4	.6	.6	.3	.5	.1
Median income	\$41,366	\$30,850	\$18,955	\$58,608	\$44,401	\$30,817	\$20,926	\$16,875	\$12,869	\$25,348	\$20,523	\$15,812	\$18,511	\$15,471	\$12,097

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Table III.3.—Total money income by age, sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Black														
Number (in thousands)	1,379	490	2,332	436	142	569	944	348	1,763	332	118	513	612	231	1,250
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	7.6	4.8	4.3	1.4	3.5	.6	10.4	5.4	5.5	13.2	7.5	8.6	8.9	4.3	4.2
\$1,000-\$1,999	1.3	.0	.5	.0	.0	.4	1.9	.0	.6	2.3	.0	.0	1.7	.0	.8
\$2,000-\$2,999	1.9	1.1	1.2	.0	.0	.8	2.8	1.6	1.3	6.0	2.5	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.4
\$3,000-\$3,999	1.7	1.6	2.1	1.2	.0	.5	2.0	2.3	2.6	3.5	1.6	1.3	1.1	2.6	3.1
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.5	.1	3.3	.0	.0	.4	2.2	.1	4.2	1.4	.4	1.6	2.7	.0	5.3
\$5,000-\$5,999	4.1	7.9	5.6	.0	.0	.8	6.0	11.1	7.2	3.9	8.3	5.5	7.1	12.6	7.9
\$6,000-\$6,999	5.6	5.3	12.8	.5	3.0	1.2	8.0	6.2	16.6	7.7	1.4	8.8	8.2	8.7	19.8
\$7,000-\$7,999	4.0	7.2	10.5	.0	1.0	1.0	5.8	9.8	13.5	9.7	3.9	13.3	3.7	12.8	13.6
\$8,000-\$8,999	3.4	6.9	7.3	1.3	5.4	4.8	4.4	7.5	8.1	3.3	4.7	5.2	4.9	8.8	9.4
\$9,000-\$9,999	2.0	5.2	5.7	.3	1.7	2.2	2.8	6.6	6.8	2.4	13.0	10.0	2.9	3.3	5.5
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.4	4.2	5.1	1.4	3.5	4.2	4.4	4.4	5.3	4.1	2.9	7.0	4.5	5.2	4.7
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.7	2.3	3.7	.3	1.9	5.8	.9	2.4	3.1	1.6	1.3	2.8	.5	3.0	3.2
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.5	4.3	2.0	2.2	3.4	1.7	2.7	4.6	2.1	3.4	3.5	3.4	2.3	5.2	1.5
\$13,000-\$13,999	2.9	1.6	3.7	1.7	.0	1.9	3.5	2.2	4.2	1.9	.0	6.3	4.4	3.3	3.4
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.8	2.0	2.4	1.3	2.2	3.1	2.1	2.0	2.2	1.8	2.2	2.7	2.2	1.8	2.0
\$15,000-\$19,999	8.7	11.8	7.7	4.8	13.3	13.1	10.6	11.2	6.0	4.4	12.6	8.1	13.9	10.5	5.1
\$20,000-\$24,999	7.2	7.4	6.3	8.7	9.0	13.8	6.6	6.8	3.9	7.1	11.4	5.7	6.3	4.4	3.2
\$25,000-\$29,999	6.5	5.7	4.4	8.2	9.5	10.2	5.7	4.2	2.5	6.5	6.7	1.6	5.2	2.9	2.8
\$30,000-\$34,999	4.6	6.0	1.9	7.6	7.3	4.9	3.2	5.4	.9	1.3	4.0	1.2	4.3	6.2	.8
\$35,000-\$39,999	4.2	1.2	2.2	6.0	2.5	5.3	3.4	.6	1.2	1.5	.0	2.4	4.5	1.0	.6
\$40,000-\$44,999	3.1	3.0	1.8	5.2	4.9	5.0	2.1	2.3	.8	1.4	4.9	.8	2.5	.9	.7
\$45,000-\$49,999	2.8	1.0	.8	6.4	2.2	3.1	1.1	.6	.1	1.6	1.7	.5	.9	.0	.0
\$50,000-\$54,999	3.5	1.4	1.1	7.0	3.4	3.4	1.8	.6	.3	1.7	1.7	.0	1.9	.0	.4
\$55,000-\$59,999	2.8	.4	.8	6.4	.3	3.3	1.1	.4	.0	1.6	.0	.0	.8	.6	.0
\$60,000-\$64,999	3.0	1.0	.2	6.3	1.9	1.0	1.5	.7	.0	2.2	2.0	.0	1.1	.0	.0
\$65,000-\$69,999	1.5	.8	.2	2.7	2.6	.8	1.0	.0	.0	1.7	.0	.0	.6	.0	.0
\$70,000-\$74,999 .....	.7	.3	.3	2.2	.9	.9	.0	.0	.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.1
\$75,000-\$99,999	2.6	2.7	1.1	7.0	8.0	3.6	.5	.5	.3	.4	.0	.5	.6	.7	.2
\$100,000-\$149,999	4.2	2.5	.8	10.0	7.2	2.1	1.6	.6	.3	2.1	1.8	.5	1.3	.0	.3
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.0	.4	.4	.0	1.3	.5	.0	.0	.4	.0	.0	1.3	.0	.0	.0
\$200,000 or more .....	.0	.0	.0	.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Median income	\$17,545	\$12,727	\$9,414	\$43,179	\$25,829	\$22,035	\$10,817	\$9,752	\$7,991	\$8,666	\$11,996	\$9,449	\$12,586	\$8,799	\$7,629

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Table III.3.—Total money income by age, sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998—Continued

Unit income	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Hispanic origin ¹														
Number (in thousands)	933	281	1,359	417	134	507	517	147	852	192	49	248	325	98	603
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	12.0	10.3	7.5	2.5	2.4	5.0	19.7	17.5	9.0	12.4	(2)	6.8	24.0	19.5	9.9
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.6	.4	.5	.0	.0	.5	1.0	.8	.5	.0	(2)	.0	1.6	1.2	.7
\$2,000-\$2,999	1.1	.0	.7	.3	.0	.7	1.7	.0	.7	.6	(2)	.0	2.4	.0	1.0
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.8	.5	2.3	.4	.0	.6	1.1	.9	3.3	1.5	(2)	2.6	.9	1.3	3.6
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.0	1.7	4.3	.1	.0	.3	1.8	3.3	6.6	.0	(2)	4.0	2.8	4.9	7.7
\$5,000-\$5,999	1.9	4.9	4.6	.4	.8	.8	3.2	8.6	6.9	1.3	(2)	2.6	4.3	8.2	8.7
\$6,000-\$6,999	5.4	5.1	9.7	1.9	.0	.2	8.1	9.7	15.4	5.8	(2)	7.4	9.5	13.0	18.7
\$7,000-\$7,999	3.4	2.1	7.5	.7	.0	2.0	5.6	4.0	10.8	7.3	(2)	8.8	4.6	5.9	11.6
\$8,000-\$8,999	3.0	6.0	7.4	1.0	3.2	2.8	4.6	8.5	10.1	1.7	(2)	13.7	6.3	4.1	8.6
\$9,000-\$9,999	1.5	4.8	5.8	2.6	2.4	3.3	.6	7.1	7.2	.6	(2)	10.1	.6	4.7	6.0
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.8	1.5	5.5	1.5	2.7	5.7	5.6	.3	5.4	9.8	(2)	7.7	3.1	.5	4.4
\$11,000-\$11,999	2.2	1.8	3.6	1.0	2.8	4.9	3.2	.9	2.8	3.5	(2)	2.2	3.1	1.4	3.0
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.8	1.5	3.2	2.7	.0	4.3	3.0	3.0	2.5	1.7	(2)	2.6	3.8	2.3	2.4
\$13,000-\$13,999	3.5	1.4	3.0	3.3	1.1	4.0	3.6	1.7	2.3	5.2	(2)	1.9	2.7	2.5	2.5
\$14,000-\$14,999	3.1	1.7	3.6	3.0	.9	6.0	3.1	2.5	2.2	3.1	(2)	3.9	3.1	3.8	1.5
\$15,000-\$19,999	9.8	11.7	9.9	9.1	17.3	16.6	10.3	6.7	5.9	12.2	(2)	9.0	9.2	7.1	4.7
\$20,000-\$24,999	8.4	10.6	6.4	9.7	11.9	11.3	7.3	9.5	3.5	9.2	(2)	6.9	6.2	7.9	2.1
\$25,000-\$29,999	6.3	6.5	3.6	7.9	9.6	7.0	5.0	3.6	1.5	3.8	(2)	3.5	5.7	5.4	.7
\$30,000-\$34,999	4.5	8.4	2.8	8.1	12.9	6.0	1.6	4.3	.8	2.2	(2)	1.2	1.2	5.9	.7
\$35,000-\$39,999	5.4	1.6	2.0	7.7	3.4	4.1	3.5	.0	.8	6.9	(2)	.7	1.5	.0	.8
\$40,000-\$44,999	2.6	3.7	1.5	5.2	7.7	3.3	.5	.0	.4	.8	(2)	1.1	.4	.0	.1
\$45,000-\$49,999	2.3	2.0	.4	4.2	3.3	1.1	.8	.9	.0	.4	(2)	.0	1.1	.0	.0
\$50,000-\$54,999	2.5	.9	.6	3.6	1.9	1.3	1.6	.0	.1	4.2	(2)	.5	.0	.0	.0
\$55,000-\$59,999	1.9	2.1	.5	4.4	2.1	.7	.0	2.2	.3	.0	(2)	1.2	.0	.0	.0
\$60,000-\$64,999	1.5	2.3	1.0	2.5	3.7	2.0	.8	1.0	.4	1.3	(2)	.5	.5	.0	.4
\$65,000-\$69,999	1.3	2.1	.3	2.9	2.3	.7	.0	1.9	.0	.0	(2)	.0	.0	.0	.0
\$70,000-\$74,999	1.6	.0	.0	2.4	.0	.1	1.0	.0	.0	1.7	(2)	.0	.5	.0	.0
\$75,000-\$99,999	2.1	3.3	.5	3.5	5.6	1.3	1.0	1.2	.0	1.9	(2)	.0	.4	.6	.0
\$100,000-\$149,999	2.0	.9	.9	4.5	1.9	2.0	.0	.0	.3	.0	(2)	1.0	.0	.0	.0
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.8	.0	.4	1.0	.0	1.2	.7	.0	.0	.7	(2)	.0	.7	.0	.0
\$200,000 or more .....	.8	.0	.1	1.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	.2	.0	(2)	.0	.0	.0	.2
Median income	\$16,582	\$17,802	\$9,911	\$30,182	\$27,771	\$17,236	\$9,998	\$8,495	\$7,849	\$13,061	(2)	\$9,279	\$7,820	\$6,991	\$6,954

¹ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

² Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

Table III.4.—Total money income by age, race, Hispanic origin, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit income	White			Black			Hispanic origin ¹		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Beneficiary units ²								
Number (in thousands)	1,159	1,795	19,794	280	291	2,016	142	134	1,032
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000 .....	.2	.6	.2	.6	1.6	.0	1.5	1.1	.3
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.2	.2	.2	.8	.0	.1	.0	.0	.3
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.7	.1	.3	.0	1.0	1.0	2.1	.0	.5
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.7	.3	.5	4.1	2.0	1.9	2.0	.0	1.9
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.6	.5	1.1	2.7	.0	3.5	.0	2.6	4.2
\$5,000-\$5,999	2.1	2.0	1.8	7.1	6.5	5.4	2.8	3.7	4.8
\$6,000-\$6,999	6.4	3.4	3.4	9.8	5.0	12.9	14.8	8.5	9.6
\$7,000-\$7,999	4.5	2.2	3.8	5.1	9.2	12.0	12.9	1.9	8.6
\$8,000-\$8,999	6.5	3.0	3.8	9.7	8.5	8.5	6.5	9.0	8.7
\$9,000-\$9,999	5.2	3.4	4.0	7.3	7.0	6.5	4.5	7.7	6.5
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.2	2.8	4.7	8.8	6.3	5.4	4.5	3.1	6.5
\$11,000-\$11,999	3.0	3.2	3.9	1.6	3.2	3.8	3.5	2.7	4.6
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.4	2.2	3.5	2.7	6.0	1.7	4.2	1.7	3.8
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.8	2.5	3.5	6.8	1.9	3.9	4.8	1.8	3.6
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.9	3.1	3.4	.6	1.7	2.6	.0	2.4	3.7
\$15,000-\$19,999	9.2	10.5	14.1	5.5	10.2	8.6	9.6	11.5	11.0
\$20,000-\$24,999	7.0	10.6	10.4	6.3	8.2	6.6	6.8	12.8	7.2
\$25,000-\$29,999	9.1	7.9	7.6	3.1	4.8	4.2	5.9	4.9	4.1
\$30,000-\$34,999	4.3	6.6	6.1	5.1	3.9	2.0	.0	10.1	3.1
\$35,000-\$39,999	4.6	5.3	4.7	1.7	.6	2.2	4.9	1.4	2.0
\$40,000-\$44,999	5.7	5.2	2.9	.9	3.1	1.7	2.9	4.2	1.4
\$45,000-\$49,999	2.4	5.5	2.6	2.6	1.1	.9	1.2	.8	.5
\$50,000-\$54,999	2.5	3.1	1.9	1.1	1.7	1.1	1.4	.0	.5
\$55,000-\$59,999	1.4	2.7	1.7	1.4	.0	.9	1.4	3.3	.5
\$60,000-\$64,999	2.2	1.7	1.1	1.1	.8	.2	.8	1.6	.2
\$65,000-\$69,999	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.8	1.3	.2	.0	1.1	.2
\$70,000-\$74,999	1.3	1.1	.9	.0	.0	.1	.0	.0	.1
\$75,000-\$99,999	5.9	5.3	2.7	.0	4.5	1.1	.9	1.3	.3
\$100,000-\$149,999	1.8	2.6	2.5	1.8	.0	.9	.0	.8	.8
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.4	.5	.6	.0	.0	.1	.0	.0	.6
\$200,000 or more .....	.3	.6	.5	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Median income	\$20,127	\$24,916	\$19,150	\$10,247	\$11,557	\$9,693	\$10,475	\$16,895	\$10,781

See footnotes at end of table.

Table III.4.—Total money income by age, race, Hispanic origin, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit income	White			Black			Hispanic origin ¹		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Nonbeneficiary units								
Number (in thousands)	8,770	1,579	1,816	1,100	199	317	791	147	326
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	4.2	5.7	21.4	9.3	9.5	31.5	13.9	18.7	30.4
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.9	.8	1.4	1.4	.0	3.3	.7	.8	1.3
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.7	.5	1.2	2.4	1.3	2.4	.9	.0	1.3
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.6	.9	2.3	1.1	1.0	2.9	.6	.9	3.4
\$4,000-\$4,999 .....	.6	.2	1.6	1.2	.2	1.9	1.2	.9	4.4
\$5,000-\$5,999	1.1	2.3	3.6	3.3	10.0	6.7	1.8	5.9	4.3
\$6,000-\$6,999	1.3	1.7	4.7	4.6	5.7	12.1	3.7	2.0	10.3
\$7,000-\$7,999 .....	.9	1.0	3.7	3.7	4.3	.9	1.7	2.2	4.0
\$8,000-\$8,999 .....	.7	.6	2.0	1.8	4.5	.1	2.4	3.2	3.0
\$9,000-\$9,999	1.1	1.2	1.9	.6	2.5	.9	.9	2.2	3.3
\$10,000-\$10,999	1.5	.6	1.4	2.1	1.0	2.7	3.7	.0	2.5
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.5	.5	1.0	.5	1.0	3.2	2.0	1.0	.4
\$12,000-\$12,999	1.2	.3	1.6	2.5	1.7	3.6	2.6	1.4	1.3
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.6	.6	.6	1.9	1.0	1.9	3.3	1.0	1.0
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.1	.6	1.8	2.1	2.5	1.4	3.6	1.2	3.4
\$15,000-\$15,999	4.8	5.5	5.7	9.6	14.2	2.1	9.8	12.0	6.5
\$20,000-\$24,999	5.8	8.1	5.3	7.5	6.3	4.6	8.6	8.7	3.8
\$25,000-\$29,999	5.5	6.4	3.7	7.3	7.1	5.5	6.3	7.9	1.8
\$30,000-\$34,999	6.0	6.2	4.0	4.5	9.0	1.1	5.3	6.9	1.8
\$35,000-\$39,999	5.8	3.9	4.1	4.9	2.1	2.1	5.5	1.9	2.1
\$40,000-\$44,999	4.8	7.1	4.1	3.7	2.9	2.3	2.6	3.2	1.8
\$45,000-\$49,999	4.5	3.5	1.8	2.8	1.0	.7	2.5	3.2	.0
\$50,000-\$54,999	4.5	4.5	2.4	4.1	1.0	1.0	2.7	1.7	.8
\$55,000-\$59,999	4.0	2.5	1.4	3.1	1.0	.0	2.1	1.1	.4
\$60,000-\$64,999	4.3	3.4	2.6	3.5	1.4	.7	1.7	2.9	3.4
\$65,000-\$69,999	3.4	4.6	1.6	1.5	.0	.0	1.5	3.0	.5
\$70,000-\$74,999	3.3	3.9	.8	.9	.7	1.7	1.9	.0	.0
\$75,000-\$99,999	11.2	11.4	4.0	3.2	.0	.8	2.3	5.2	1.1
\$100,000-\$149,999	8.9	7.5	4.0	4.9	6.2	.0	2.4	1.0	1.3
\$150,000-\$199,999	2.4	1.4	2.3	.0	.9	2.0	1.0	.0	.0
\$200,000 or more	3.7	2.8	2.2	.1	.0	.0	1.0	.0	.4
Median income	\$45,237	\$40,990	\$14,784	\$20,223	\$17,213	\$5,941	\$18,238	\$18,888	\$6,255

¹ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits,

dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

Table III.5.—Total money income by quintiles of Social Security benefits ¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Unit income	Quintiles of Social Security benefits														
	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	One	Two	Three	Four	Five
Number (in thousands)	4,413	4,388	4,680	4,372	4,404	1,821	1,855	1,960	1,776	1,836	2,601	2,670	2,483	2,874	2,380
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000 .....	.6	.1	.0	.0	.0	.4	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
\$1,000-\$1,999	1.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.8	.0	.0	.0	.0
\$2,000-\$2,999	1.9	.1	.0	.0	.0	.6	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.8	.0	.1	.0	.1
\$3,000-\$3,999	3.2	.0	.0	.0	.0	.3	.0	.0	.0	.0	5.2	.0	.0	.0	.0
\$4,000-\$4,999	6.8	.0	.0	.0	.0	.6	.0	.0	.0	.0	10.9	.2	.0	.0	.1
\$5,000-\$5,999	10.6	.0	.1	.0	.0	1.3	.2	.0	.0	.0	17.0	.1	.0	.0	.0
\$6,000-\$6,999	21.0	.7	.2	.0	.0	1.5	.2	.0	.0	.0	14.9	20.4	.0	.1	.0
\$7,000-\$7,999	6.4	16.7	.0	.0	.1	2.3	.0	.0	.1	.0	6.4	30.3	.0	.0	.0
\$8,000-\$8,999	3.6	17.8	.0	.0	.0	3.5	.0	.0	.0	.0	3.6	7.5	23.5	.0	.0
\$9,000-\$9,999	3.5	11.3	6.1	.0	.0	4.6	.3	.0	.0	.0	3.6	4.4	20.3	4.6	.0
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.0	5.3	14.6	.0	.0	3.4	2.0	.1	.0	.0	2.9	4.2	7.6	19.9	.0
\$11,000-\$11,999	2.1	3.8	11.9	1.0	.0	3.6	5.7	.0	.0	.0	1.4	3.1	5.0	11.7	4.5
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.2	3.9	4.1	6.6	.0	2.8	6.2	.0	.0	.0	1.9	2.3	5.2	4.7	8.7
\$13,000-\$13,999	2.3	3.2	4.8	7.2	.0	1.9	7.8	.1	.0	.1	2.6	3.0	3.5	5.3	8.7
\$14,000-\$14,999	2.3	3.3	4.5	6.5	.0	3.0	3.4	4.5	.0	.0	2.0	2.4	3.3	5.8	7.2
\$15,000-\$19,999	7.5	12.1	15.8	21.7	11.0	8.5	13.5	24.8	16.2	.3	7.8	8.8	14.7	17.5	22.7
\$20,000-\$24,999	4.3	6.7	11.0	13.3	15.3	8.0	12.2	15.7	15.7	14.6	3.9	4.9	6.7	11.6	12.3
\$25,000-\$29,999	3.8	2.7	6.3	10.5	13.2	8.4	9.2	12.7	13.7	13.8	2.9	2.1	2.5	5.9	7.9
\$30,000-\$34,999	2.4	3.3	4.6	7.5	10.7	8.0	4.9	10.5	12.2	9.8	1.6	2.1	2.5	3.5	7.0
\$35,000-\$39,999	2.2	1.7	3.5	4.9	9.9	6.4	5.0	7.2	11.5	9.1	1.4	1.0	1.1	2.7	4.0
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.8	1.3	2.3	3.5	5.8	3.4	5.0	3.7	6.6	6.4	.6	.5	.6	1.8	2.1
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.9	.7	2.0	3.1	5.6	4.3	4.6	4.6	5.7	4.7	.4	.4	.2	.7	2.5
\$50,000-\$54,999	1.0	.5	1.1	2.1	4.1	2.2	2.4	2.0	3.2	4.1	.8	.5	.2	.6	3.6
\$55,000-\$59,999	1.0	.4	1.5	1.5	3.8	3.3	1.8	2.0	2.6	5.5	.2	.2	.2	1.0	1.5
\$60,000-\$64,999 .....	.5	.9	.6	1.0	2.2	2.4	1.9	1.0	1.7	3.2	.0	.3	.5	.3	.5
\$65,000-\$69,999 .....	.9	1.0	.8	1.4	2.6	2.8	2.1	1.2	1.8	3.9	.4	.5	.7	.4	1.0
\$70,000-\$74,999 .....	.4	.1	.7	1.1	2.0	1.3	1.5	1.2	1.1	3.4	.0	.1	.3	.4	.5
\$75,000-\$99,999	1.6	.8	1.7	3.4	5.4	4.2	4.2	4.2	3.1	8.5	1.2	.3	.3	.9	2.4
\$100,000-\$149,999	1.4	1.1	1.4	2.6	5.6	5.1	4.5	2.6	3.8	8.0	.2	.5	.5	.6	1.8
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.3	.2	.2	.6	1.8	.8	.7	1.2	.6	2.8	.0	.1	.1	.0	.6
\$200,000 or more .....	.5	.2	.1	.5	1.0	.9	.7	.8	.2	1.9	.3	.0	.2	.0	.3
Median income	\$7,788	\$10,556	\$15,915	\$22,566	\$34,791	\$26,787	\$24,508	\$26,524	\$31,644	\$41,418	\$6,810	\$8,110	\$10,737	\$14,572	\$19,396

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits. Social Security quintile limits are \$6,918, \$9,398, \$11,851, and \$16,175 for all units,

\$10,468, \$13,998, \$16,820, and \$19,805 for married couples, and \$6,074, \$8,019, \$9,561, and \$11,458 for nonmarried persons.

Table III.6.—Total money income by marital status and receipt of various sources: Number of aged units 65 or older, and median total money income, 1998

Unit retirement benefits	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No
Number of recipient units (in thousands)															
Total	24,644	5,275	19,369	15,521	9,123	10,158	3,474	6,684	7,622	2,536	14,487	1,802	12,685	7,899	6,588
No benefit	1,661	631	1,030	570	1,091	575	356	218	318	256	1,087	275	812	252	834
One benefit	13,147	2,636	10,511	7,171	5,977	4,315	1,563	2,753	2,883	1,432	8,832	1,073	7,759	4,287	4,545
Social Security only ¹	12,481	2,415	10,067	6,687	5,794	4,014	1,432	2,583	2,637	1,377	8,467	983	7,484	4,050	4,417
Private pension or annuity only	253	120	133	182	71	130	72	58	111	19	123	47	76	71	52
Government employee pension only ²	297	89	208	233	64	120	53	67	104	15	177	36	141	128	49
Railroad Retirement only	116	13	103	69	47	51	6	46	31	20	65	7	58	37	27
More than one benefit ³	9,836	2,008	7,827	7,780	2,056	5,268	1,555	3,713	4,420	847	4,568	453	4,115	3,359	1,209
Social Security and federal pension only	681	150	531	540	141	383	119	264	328	55	298	31	267	212	87
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state/local, or military pension only	1,692	393	1,299	1,354	338	842	295	547	729	113	850	98	752	625	225
Social Security and private pension only	6,654	1,266	5,388	5,173	1,481	3,477	981	2,496	2,855	622	3,177	285	2,893	2,319	859
Three or more benefit types	644	160	484	563	81	455	126	328	406	49	189	34	155	156	33

See footnotes at end of table.

Table III.6.—Total money income by marital status and receipt of various sources: Number of aged units 65 or older, and median total money income, 1998—*Continued*

Unit retirement benefits	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
Median total money income															
Total	\$17,777	\$35,595	\$14,831	\$24,423	\$10,041	\$30,176	\$44,358	\$25,307	\$35,156	\$18,502	\$12,015	\$21,998	\$11,109	\$16,291	\$8,500
No benefit	6,294	36,089	482	32,827	4,392	22,352	53,046	2,053	54,057	9,482	5,198	22,694	252	14,679	2,972
One benefit	12,660	29,264	10,982	17,695	9,146	22,011	36,625	18,157	27,496	15,835	10,051	19,786	9,472	13,071	8,163
Social Security only ¹	12,367	28,174	10,862	17,104	9,119	21,410	35,419	17,986	26,735	15,885	9,921	19,427	9,383	12,800	8,145
Private pension or annuity only	19,371	43,930	8,154	30,836	(⁴)	29,804	(⁴)	(⁴)	34,271	(⁴)	11,222	(⁴)	7,569	(⁴)	(⁴)
Government employee pension only ²	32,198	46,830	30,630	35,772	(⁴)	42,614	(⁴)	(⁴)	42,229	(⁴)	27,246	(⁴)	28,357	32,860	(⁴)
Railroad Retirement only	17,735	(⁴)	16,900	(⁴)	(⁴)	(⁴)	(⁴)	(⁴)	(⁴)	(⁴)	(⁴)	(⁴)	(⁴)	(⁴)	(⁴)
More than one benefit ³	27,521	44,195	24,493	30,855	18,436	36,370	49,983	32,401	38,972	25,720	18,587	28,169	17,803	20,668	14,283
Social Security and federal pension only	30,005	51,056	27,745	32,870	22,092	35,670	54,415	31,814	38,304	(⁴)	21,924	(⁴)	21,512	24,048	18,785
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state/local, or military pension only	30,622	44,561	25,722	33,032	18,489	39,849	53,204	35,206	41,990	27,265	19,674	31,304	18,815	21,500	14,897
Social Security and private pension only	25,299	41,134	22,849	28,196	17,624	33,782	45,679	30,215	36,296	24,787	17,491	25,958	16,866	19,496	13,858
Three or more benefit types	43,592	59,165	36,741	48,084	29,198	52,776	65,602	49,116	56,659	(⁴)	28,746	(⁴)	27,805	30,447	(⁴)

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

² Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

³ Includes a small number with combinations of pensions not listed.

⁴ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

Table III.7.—Total money income of nonmarried persons: Percentage distribution of persons aged 65 or older, 1998

Person income	Nonmarried men				Nonmarried women			
	Total ¹	Widowed	Never married	Divorced	Total ¹	Widowed	Never married	Divorced
Number (in thousands)	3,622	1,927	489	893	10,864	8,385	750	1,262
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	3.3	2.7	2.4	2.9	3.2	3.2	3.9	2.6
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.6	.9	.1	.2	.4	.4	.3	.5
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.5	.3	2.0	.1	.7	.4	.9	1.1
\$3,000-\$3,999	1.5	1.0	3.8	1.6	1.2	1.1	2.6	.8
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.4	1.0	3.6	.9	2.6	2.1	3.1	4.3
\$5,000-\$5,999	2.6	1.5	6.6	3.1	4.0	3.8	6.1	3.9
\$6,000-\$6,999	4.6	3.5	5.6	5.7	8.2	7.4	11.4	9.9
\$7,000-\$7,999	5.7	5.7	1.5	7.5	7.8	7.6	7.2	8.3
\$8,000-\$8,999	5.8	5.6	7.7	6.1	6.5	6.6	5.7	6.9
\$9,000-\$9,999	5.7	3.8	9.7	8.1	6.1	6.6	5.2	3.3
\$10,000-\$10,999	4.7	4.7	1.0	6.3	7.4	7.5	5.2	8.7
\$11,000-\$11,999	3.7	4.1	2.9	3.0	5.4	6.2	3.3	2.2
\$12,000-\$12,999	4.1	4.7	2.2	3.8	4.3	4.6	3.6	3.4
\$13,000-\$13,999	4.2	4.8	2.9	3.9	4.2	4.2	3.8	4.8
\$14,000-\$14,999	3.8	3.9	2.8	4.3	3.9	4.1	2.1	3.7
\$15,000-\$19,999	14.0	15.5	10.2	12.0	13.1	13.7	8.2	12.3
\$20,000-\$24,999	9.4	10.8	9.9	7.1	7.0	6.9	9.5	6.6
\$25,000-\$29,999	5.0	5.1	6.1	6.1	3.8	3.9	3.4	5.2
\$30,000-\$34,999	4.1	5.2	4.8	2.0	3.0	3.1	4.4	2.2
\$35,000-\$39,999	2.7	2.9	4.6	1.7	2.0	1.8	3.7	1.7
\$40,000-\$44,999	1.9	1.6	1.1	2.4	1.0	.9	2.3	.9
\$45,000-\$49,999	1.3	2.0	1.3	.3	.7	.8	.7	.9
\$50,000-\$54,999	2.0	1.6	3.0	2.5	.8	.7	1.0	1.3
\$55,000-\$59,999 .....	.9	.9	1.5	.8	.5	.4	.8	.4
\$60,000-\$64,999 .....	.5	.6	.2	.4	.3	.2	.5	.8
\$65,000-\$69,999	1.0	.9	.5	1.3	.5	.5	.3	.8
\$70,000-\$74,999 .....	.5	.3	.0	1.3	.2	.2	.0	.3
\$75,000-\$99,999	2.2	2.2	2.4	1.7	.7	.6	.4	1.2
\$100,000-\$149,999	1.4	.8	1.5	2.1	.6	.6	.2	.7
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.6	.8	1.2	.3	.1	.1	.2	.2
\$200,000 or more .....	.5	.5	.0	.5	.1	.0	.0	.3
Median income	\$14,496	\$15,462	\$13,340	\$13,018	\$11,382	\$11,566	\$10,735	\$11,137

¹ Includes those separated or married but living apart from the spouse.

Table IV.1.—Total money income other than Social Security benefits by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units and Social Security beneficiaries 55 or older, 1998

Unit income other than Social Security	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women		
							55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	All units														
Number (in thousands)	11,801	3,997	24,644	6,758	2,179	10,158	5,043	1,818	14,487	1,928	635	3,622	3,115	1,184	10,864
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
None	5.9	9.5	18.3	1.6	3.6	9.0	11.7	16.7	24.8	12.6	17.9	20.9	11.2	16.0	26.1
Loss or \$1-\$999	2.5	4.3	10.0	1.4	2.6	5.8	4.0	6.3	13.0	3.1	5.7	9.9	4.6	6.7	14.0
\$1,000-\$1,999	1.4	2.2	5.2	.3	1.0	3.4	2.8	3.7	6.6	2.5	1.8	5.2	3.0	4.8	7.0
\$2,000-\$2,999	1.3	2.0	4.2	.4	.7	3.1	2.5	3.6	5.1	2.6	2.8	4.1	2.4	4.0	5.4
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.9	1.6	4.2	.6	1.0	2.8	1.3	2.2	5.2	1.1	2.1	5.1	1.4	2.2	5.3
\$4,000-\$4,999 .....	.7	1.8	3.2	.2	1.0	2.7	1.4	2.8	3.6	1.2	2.3	3.9	1.6	3.0	3.6
\$5,000-\$5,999	1.4	3.4	3.0	.3	.9	2.4	2.8	6.5	3.4	1.7	5.2	2.9	3.5	7.2	3.6
\$6,000-\$6,999	1.8	2.2	3.4	.6	.8	2.6	3.6	3.9	3.9	3.3	1.8	3.8	3.8	5.0	3.9
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.2	1.5	2.7	.3	1.1	2.4	2.3	2.1	3.0	2.6	2.3	2.6	2.1	1.9	3.1
\$8,000-\$8,999 .....	.8	2.0	2.5	.3	1.2	2.5	1.6	2.8	2.5	.1	2.1	3.5	2.5	3.3	2.2
\$9,000-\$9,999	1.0	1.5	2.4	.4	1.1	2.4	1.8	2.0	2.5	.5	1.2	2.4	2.6	2.4	2.5
\$10,000-\$10,999	1.6	1.4	2.3	.9	.9	2.5	2.6	2.1	2.1	3.0	3.4	2.3	2.4	1.4	2.0
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.6	1.2	1.8	.3	1.0	2.0	1.0	1.4	1.7	.6	.2	2.2	1.2	2.1	1.5
\$12,000-\$12,999	1.4	1.6	2.2	.7	1.4	2.3	2.2	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.0	1.8	2.4	2.2	2.2
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.8	1.5	1.6	.4	1.9	2.0	1.2	1.0	1.3	.6	.9	1.6	1.6	1.0	1.2
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.3	1.5	1.7	.8	1.3	2.1	1.9	1.6	1.4	1.9	2.7	1.7	2.0	1.1	1.3
\$15,000-\$19,999	5.5	6.8	6.6	3.2	6.4	8.8	8.6	7.3	5.0	8.0	7.0	5.8	8.9	7.4	4.8
\$20,000-\$24,999	6.0	7.8	4.7	4.4	6.9	6.9	8.1	8.8	3.2	7.4	10.8	4.5	8.6	7.8	2.7
\$25,000-\$29,999	5.6	5.1	3.3	4.6	5.2	4.8	7.0	5.1	2.2	6.8	5.7	2.9	7.1	4.8	1.9
\$30,000-\$34,999	5.7	5.2	2.7	5.5	7.0	4.5	5.9	3.1	1.4	5.2	3.1	2.0	6.4	3.1	1.2
\$35,000-\$39,999	5.3	4.0	2.1	5.0	5.1	3.4	5.6	2.8	1.2	6.5	2.9	1.7	5.0	2.8	1.1
\$40,000-\$44,999	4.4	5.0	1.5	5.0	7.3	2.6	3.5	2.3	.7	3.8	2.5	1.2	3.3	2.2	.5
\$45,000-\$49,999	4.1	2.7	1.2	5.4	4.2	2.0	2.4	.9	.7	3.0	1.4	1.3	2.0	.6	.5
\$50,000-\$54,999	4.2	2.6	1.2	5.6	3.1	2.2	2.2	2.0	.5	3.1	2.9	.7	1.6	1.5	.4
\$55,000-\$59,999	3.5	1.8	.9	4.9	3.0	1.7	1.5	.4	.4	2.2	.8	.6	1.1	.2	.3
\$60,000-\$64,999	3.8	2.2	.9	5.0	3.2	1.5	2.2	1.1	.5	2.7	2.2	.6	1.9	.6	.4
\$65,000-\$69,999	2.9	2.5	.7	4.2	3.4	1.2	1.2	1.4	.3	2.3	3.4	.7	.6	.4	.1
\$70,000-\$74,999	2.8	2.3	.6	4.1	3.4	1.1	1.0	1.0	.3	1.4	.4	.7	.8	1.3	.2
\$75,000-\$99,999	9.5	6.2	2.1	14.4	9.9	3.8	2.9	1.8	.8	3.7	1.8	1.7	2.4	1.8	.5
\$100,000-\$149,999	7.5	4.3	1.7	11.5	7.1	3.4	2.1	.9	.5	2.7	1.1	.7	1.8	.8	.4
\$150,000-\$199,999	1.9	.8	.6	3.1	1.4	1.1	.3	.1	.2	.6	.0	.6	.1	.2	.1
\$200,000 or more	3.0	1.4	.5	4.8	2.1	1.1	.6	.4	.2	1.1	.5	.4	.3	.4	.1
Median income	\$37,219	\$22,073	\$6,357	\$56,420	\$37,567	\$14,925	\$17,662	\$8,689	\$3,017	\$21,026	\$12,643	\$5,243	\$15,525	\$7,415	\$2,473

Table IV.1.—Total money income other than Social Security benefits by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units and Social Security beneficiaries 55 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit income other than Social Security	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women		
							55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Beneficiary units ¹														
Number (in thousands)	1,478	2,141	22,257	731	1,133	9,248	748	1,008	13,009	270	339	3,152	478	669	9,857
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
None	24.6	13.8	18.2	8.1	5.3	9.0	40.7	23.2	24.7	53.0	26.6	20.7	33.8	21.5	26.0
Loss or \$1-\$999	8.4	6.4	10.6	5.5	3.9	6.0	11.2	9.3	14.0	9.8	10.3	11.1	12.0	8.7	14.9
\$1,000-\$1,999	4.8	3.6	5.6	2.1	1.6	3.6	7.4	5.9	7.1	7.8	2.7	5.8	7.2	7.5	7.6
\$2,000-\$2,999	3.6	3.4	4.6	2.1	1.2	3.2	5.1	5.8	5.5	3.7	5.2	4.7	5.8	6.1	5.8
\$3,000-\$3,999	2.7	2.2	4.4	2.6	1.5	2.9	2.9	2.9	5.5	1.8	2.2	5.1	3.5	3.3	5.6
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.3	3.1	3.4	.7	1.8	2.9	1.8	4.5	3.8	.8	3.3	4.3	2.4	5.2	3.6
\$5,000-\$5,999	1.6	3.8	2.9	1.0	1.4	2.6	2.2	6.4	3.2	.7	5.0	2.7	3.1	7.1	3.3
\$6,000-\$6,999	3.3	2.1	3.1	2.1	.9	2.7	4.5	3.4	3.4	5.8	2.6	3.6	3.8	3.9	3.3
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.0	1.4	2.6	.7	1.5	2.5	1.3	1.3	2.7	.8	1.7	2.3	1.6	1.1	2.9
\$8,000-\$8,999	1.0	2.8	2.5	1.1	1.6	2.6	1.0	4.1	2.5	.6	3.2	3.4	1.2	4.6	2.2
\$9,000-\$9,999 .....	.9	1.6	2.5	.9	1.7	2.4	.9	1.5	2.6	.0	1.7	2.5	1.3	1.4	2.6
\$10,000-\$10,999	2.5	2.0	2.3	2.9	1.5	2.6	2.2	2.5	2.2	.7	4.3	2.4	3.0	1.6	2.1
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.8	1.7	1.8	.4	1.5	2.2	1.1	1.9	1.6	.1	.3	2.1	1.7	2.8	1.4
\$12,000-\$12,999	1.8	2.4	2.2	3.0	2.3	2.5	.6	2.6	2.0	.4	1.3	1.5	.6	3.3	2.2
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.9	1.9	1.6	.3	2.5	2.1	1.4	1.2	1.3	.0	.7	1.7	2.2	1.5	1.2
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.6	2.1	1.6	2.2	1.9	2.0	1.1	2.3	1.4	1.8	4.3	1.6	.7	1.3	1.3
\$15,000-\$19,999	6.4	7.2	6.7	7.6	8.6	9.2	5.2	5.7	5.0	6.2	6.4	6.1	4.7	5.3	4.6
\$20,000-\$24,999	6.2	7.8	4.6	8.9	9.6	7.0	3.4	5.8	3.0	1.9	6.7	4.1	4.3	5.3	2.6
\$25,000-\$29,999	4.3	4.1	3.2	6.5	5.9	4.8	2.2	2.2	2.1	1.5	4.2	2.8	2.6	1.2	1.9
\$30,000-\$34,999	4.0	4.2	2.6	6.8	7.6	4.4	1.3	.5	1.2	.4	.2	1.8	1.7	.7	1.0
\$35,000-\$39,999	2.9	4.3	2.0	5.1	7.0	3.4	.7	1.3	1.0	.4	1.2	1.7	.9	1.3	.8
\$40,000-\$44,999	2.1	3.8	1.3	3.9	6.3	2.4	.4	.9	.5	.0	.9	1.1	.6	.9	.3
\$45,000-\$49,999	2.3	2.2	1.2	4.7	3.9	1.9	.0	.2	.7	.0	.4	1.3	.0	.1	.5
\$50,000-\$54,999	1.0	1.4	1.1	1.7	1.4	2.0	.4	1.4	.4	.0	1.5	.4	.6	1.4	.4
\$55,000-\$59,999	1.0	1.5	.9	1.9	2.6	1.7	.2	.2	.4	.0	.7	.7	.3	.0	.3
\$60,000-\$64,999	1.9	1.3	.8	3.1	1.8	1.2	.6	.8	.4	1.7	1.4	.7	.0	.5	.4
\$65,000-\$69,999	1.2	1.3	.6	2.3	2.1	1.1	.2	.3	.2	.0	.8	.5	.3	.1	.1
\$70,000-\$74,999	1.5	1.4	.6	3.0	2.4	1.0	.0	.3	.3	.0	.0	.6	.0	.5	.2
\$75,000-\$99,999	2.8	2.9	1.9	5.7	4.9	3.5	.0	.6	.7	.0	.0	1.5	.0	.9	.5
\$100,000-\$149,999 .....	.8	1.5	1.5	1.6	2.6	3.1	.0	.2	.4	.0	.0	.5	.0	.3	.4
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.3	.4	.4	.7	.8	.8	.0	.0	.1	.0	.0	.4	.0	.0	.0
\$200,000 or more .....	.3	.4	.4	.5	.3	.8	.0	.4	.1	.0	.0	.4	.0	.7	.1
Median income	\$6,818	\$12,623	\$5,938	\$23,370	\$24,520	\$14,216	\$644	\$4,618	\$2,692	\$0	\$4,677	\$4,640	\$1,260	\$4,584	\$2,236

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

See table III.2 for total income of nonbeneficiaries.

Table IV.2.—Total money income other than Social Security benefits by quintiles of Social Security benefits ¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Unit income other than Social Security	Quintiles of Social Security benefits														
	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	One	Two	Three	Four	Five
Number (in thousands)	4,413	4,388	4,680	4,372	4,404	1,821	1,855	1,960	1,776	1,836	2,601	2,670	2,483	2,874	2,380
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
None	25.1	29.4	16.6	11.8	8.1	8.3	12.2	10.6	7.5	6.2	26.1	36.8	29.8	16.8	13.8
Loss or \$1-\$999	11.0	13.2	13.2	10.0	5.6	4.6	7.8	6.5	6.5	4.3	11.4	15.4	13.5	16.1	13.1
\$1,000-\$1,999	8.1	6.1	5.4	5.2	3.4	4.1	3.2	4.1	3.0	3.2	9.7	6.6	7.2	5.8	6.4
\$2,000-\$2,999	6.1	4.5	4.1	4.4	3.6	2.8	2.8	3.4	3.4	3.6	7.6	4.0	5.3	4.6	6.5
\$3,000-\$3,999	4.6	4.6	5.7	3.9	3.1	2.4	3.4	2.9	3.1	2.7	5.9	4.1	5.8	6.3	5.2
\$4,000-\$4,999	4.0	2.6	3.7	3.7	3.0	1.6	2.8	4.1	2.8	2.8	3.8	4.0	2.5	4.8	3.6
\$5,000-\$5,999	2.6	3.3	2.7	3.4	2.6	2.2	2.2	3.7	2.8	1.8	3.1	1.8	4.2	3.2	3.8
\$6,000-\$6,999	2.4	3.2	3.4	3.8	2.8	1.4	2.4	3.6	3.0	3.2	2.8	3.0	3.5	3.8	3.8
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.7	3.1	2.9	2.6	2.8	1.3	2.6	2.2	3.4	3.0	2.1	2.3	3.5	3.3	2.4
\$8,000-\$8,999	2.5	1.8	3.0	2.4	2.8	2.1	2.3	2.3	2.9	3.1	2.3	2.0	2.6	2.9	2.6
\$9,000-\$9,999	2.2	2.6	2.7	2.3	2.6	1.7	1.8	3.3	3.1	2.0	2.6	2.0	3.1	3.1	2.2
\$10,000-\$10,999	1.8	2.1	2.8	2.8	2.1	2.8	3.4	3.0	1.4	2.2	1.6	1.7	2.0	3.1	2.3
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.8	1.8	2.5	1.9	2.2	2.1	1.6	2.3	3.1	1.7	.5	1.4	1.5	3.0	1.5
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.3	2.6	1.9	2.7	2.4	3.7	2.0	2.6	1.9	2.0	2.2	1.5
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.9	1.4	1.7	1.9	2.3	1.3	2.5	2.3	2.3	1.9	1.1	.9	1.2	1.4	2.0
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.0	1.1	2.0	2.3	1.8	1.8	3.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.2	.9	.8	1.7	2.2
\$15,000-\$19,999	5.0	4.1	6.2	8.2	10.2	8.8	6.1	9.8	12.0	9.3	4.5	3.8	3.7	5.8	7.3
\$20,000-\$24,999	3.6	3.0	3.9	5.8	7.0	8.3	5.5	7.0	8.4	5.8	3.2	1.7	2.5	3.2	4.3
\$25,000-\$29,999	2.9	1.9	3.4	2.7	5.2	6.0	4.3	3.7	5.2	5.1	2.0	1.9	1.3	2.3	2.8
\$30,000-\$34,999	1.9	1.7	2.1	3.4	3.7	5.5	4.5	4.8	3.8	3.7	1.2	.7	.7	1.8	1.7
\$35,000-\$39,999 .....	.9	.9	2.2	2.6	3.3	3.9	4.5	1.8	3.4	3.5	.8	.5	.3	.9	2.4
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.9	.5	1.0	1.5	2.6	2.6	1.8	1.6	2.4	3.5	.6	.3	.3	.4	1.4
\$45,000-\$49,999	1.1	.5	1.3	1.2	1.8	2.4	1.9	1.5	1.3	2.6	.8	.4	.3	1.0	.8
\$50,000-\$54,999 .....	.9	1.0	.7	1.0	1.8	3.5	1.6	.9	1.8	2.3	.2	.3	.6	.3	.7
\$55,000-\$59,999 .....	.4	.9	.8	1.1	1.4	2.7	1.9	1.0	.4	2.3	.0	.3	.5	.4	.9
\$60,000-\$64,999 .....	.8	.4	.5	1.1	.9	1.5	1.3	1.2	.2	1.7	.4	.4	.5	.4	.6
\$65,000-\$69,999 .....	.5	.2	.5	.7	1.1	1.7	1.4	.6	.8	1.3	.0	.0	.0	.2	.8
\$70,000-\$74,999 .....	.6	.2	.4	.8	1.0	1.0	1.3	.9	1.0	.9	.3	.2	.1	.3	.5
\$75,000-\$99,999	1.2	.8	1.4	2.0	4.2	3.5	3.0	2.7	2.7	5.9	.9	.2	.3	.7	1.6
\$100,000-\$149,999	1.4	.8	.9	1.9	2.7	4.8	2.9	2.0	2.1	3.8	.2	.4	.4	.4	.7
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.2	.1	.2	.6	1.0	.6	.8	.7	.5	1.4	.0	.0	.1	.0	.5
\$200,000 or more .....	.5	.2	.1	.4	.8	.9	.5	.7	.1	1.6	.3	.0	.2	.0	.2
Median income	\$2,876	\$2,200	\$5,344	\$8,471	\$14,135	\$19,270	\$12,488	\$11,151	\$13,166	\$17,323	\$2,342	\$743	\$1,906	\$4,088	\$5,318

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits. Social Security quintile limits are \$6,918, \$9,398, \$11,851, and \$16,175 for all units, \$10,468, \$13,998,

\$16,820, and \$19,805 for married couples, and \$6,074, \$8,019, \$9,561, and \$11,458 for nonmarried persons.

Table IV.3.—Total money income other than earnings by age, sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit income other than earnings	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women		
							55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
All units															
Number (in thousands)	11,801	3,997	24,644	6,758	2,179	10,158	5,043	1,818	14,487	1,928	635	3,622	3,115	1,184	10,864
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
None	20.1	10.9	2.7	13.1	7.0	1.7	29.5	15.6	3.4	29.3	19.2	4.4	29.6	13.6	3.1
Loss or \$1-\$999	18.3	9.5	1.0	20.4	10.0	1.1	15.6	8.9	1.0	15.9	8.6	.8	15.4	9.1	1.1
\$1,000-\$1,999	6.5	3.2	.6	7.4	3.1	.4	5.4	3.2	.7	4.5	3.6	.8	5.9	3.0	.6
\$2,000-\$2,999	4.2	2.6	.7	5.0	2.9	.5	3.2	2.2	.8	3.0	1.2	.7	3.4	2.7	.8
\$3,000-\$3,999	3.1	3.1	1.1	3.5	3.3	.6	2.6	2.7	1.4	2.4	3.8	1.4	2.8	2.2	1.4
\$4,000-\$4,999	3.3	1.7	1.8	3.5	2.0	.6	3.1	1.3	2.6	2.7	1.6	1.5	3.3	1.2	2.9
\$5,000-\$5,999	3.6	4.5	2.6	3.2	2.6	.9	4.0	6.8	3.8	3.0	4.0	2.3	4.7	8.2	4.3
\$6,000-\$6,999	4.2	4.9	4.9	3.1	2.5	.8	5.8	7.9	7.8	5.4	4.7	5.2	6.1	9.5	8.7
\$7,000-\$7,999	2.6	4.9	5.0	2.1	3.6	1.1	3.2	6.6	7.7	4.1	3.6	6.4	2.7	8.1	8.2
\$8,000-\$8,999	2.4	3.7	4.6	2.2	2.3	1.2	2.7	5.4	6.9	1.7	4.3	6.2	3.4	6.0	7.1
\$9,000-\$9,999	2.4	3.7	4.5	2.4	3.0	1.6	2.4	4.6	6.5	2.0	6.3	6.0	2.6	3.6	6.6
\$10,000-\$14,999	7.5	12.3	19.6	7.7	11.0	12.2	7.2	13.8	24.8	7.8	12.5	22.4	6.9	14.5	25.6
\$15,000-\$19,999	5.2	7.5	13.6	6.2	8.7	15.1	3.9	6.0	12.4	5.4	7.4	12.8	3.0	5.3	12.3
\$20,000-\$24,999	3.9	6.0	9.6	5.1	6.7	13.9	2.4	5.2	6.6	2.2	7.8	8.5	2.5	3.8	6.0
\$25,000-\$29,999	2.8	4.6	6.8	3.3	6.7	11.3	2.1	2.0	3.7	2.5	2.3	4.7	1.8	1.8	3.3
\$30,000-\$34,999	1.7	4.4	4.9	1.9	6.1	7.9	1.3	2.4	2.7	1.6	3.5	3.7	1.1	1.7	2.3
\$35,000-\$39,999	1.5	2.3	3.5	1.6	3.3	6.2	1.3	1.1	1.6	1.1	1.8	2.2	1.5	.8	1.5
\$40,000-\$44,999	1.3	2.4	2.2	1.6	3.6	4.1	.9	1.0	.9	1.0	.4	1.3	.8	1.3	.7
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.9	1.6	1.7	1.1	2.4	3.1	.5	.6	.7	1.0	.6	1.3	.2	.6	.5
\$50,000 or more	4.4	6.2	8.7	5.6	9.1	15.4	2.7	2.8	3.9	3.4	2.7	7.3	2.3	2.8	2.8
Median income	\$3,120	\$9,262	\$15,304	\$4,137	\$13,294	\$24,203	\$1,869	\$7,141	\$11,096	\$1,985	\$7,914	\$13,098	\$1,818	\$6,985	\$10,635

Table IV.3.—Total money income other than earnings by age, sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit income other than earnings	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women		
							55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Beneficiary units ¹														
Number (in thousands)	1,478	2,141	22,257	731	1,133	9,248	748	1,008	13,009	270	339	3,152	478	669	9,857
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Loss or \$1-\$999	1.0	1.3	.1	1.2	.2	.0	.9	2.6	.2	1.0	5.4	.2	.8	1.2	.2
\$1,000-\$1,999	1.0	.9	.3	1.2	.7	.0	.8	1.1	.5	1.5	1.6	.6	.5	.8	.4
\$2,000-\$2,999	1.1	.8	.5	1.5	.3	.2	.8	1.3	.7	.4	2.2	.7	1.0	.9	.7
\$3,000-\$3,999	2.3	2.5	.8	1.9	2.4	.4	2.7	2.6	1.1	4.8	2.8	1.0	1.5	2.5	1.2
\$4,000-\$4,999	3.2	1.5	1.7	3.0	1.7	.5	3.5	1.3	2.5	2.6	.7	1.4	3.9	1.6	2.8
\$5,000-\$5,999	5.2	4.6	2.5	4.0	2.9	.8	6.3	6.5	3.7	4.2	2.1	2.3	7.5	8.7	4.2
\$6,000-\$6,999	9.3	6.4	4.8	3.8	3.7	.7	14.7	9.5	7.7	13.7	6.3	5.3	15.4	11.1	8.5
\$7,000-\$7,999	5.8	6.4	5.1	2.7	4.3	1.0	8.8	8.8	8.1	12.7	3.3	6.5	6.7	11.6	8.6
\$8,000-\$8,999	8.1	6.0	4.8	4.4	3.3	1.1	11.7	9.0	7.4	11.1	7.5	6.5	12.0	9.8	7.7
\$9,000-\$9,999	7.4	5.7	4.8	8.0	4.2	1.5	6.8	7.4	7.1	8.2	11.1	6.6	6.0	5.5	7.3
\$10,000-\$14,999	19.9	18.2	20.9	19.4	14.5	12.6	20.4	22.3	26.9	21.6	20.4	24.3	19.8	23.3	27.7
\$15,000-\$19,999	10.5	9.9	14.6	15.1	11.3	16.1	6.0	8.3	13.4	4.7	10.8	14.6	6.7	7.1	13.0
\$20,000-\$24,999	6.5	8.0	10.3	8.8	9.4	14.8	4.2	6.4	7.0	2.6	9.1	9.0	5.1	5.1	6.4
\$25,000-\$29,999	6.0	6.5	7.3	7.6	9.8	12.0	4.4	2.9	3.9	3.8	4.4	5.1	4.8	2.2	3.5
\$30,000-\$34,999	2.7	5.7	5.0	2.6	7.9	8.3	2.8	3.3	2.7	3.4	4.8	3.8	2.5	2.5	2.3
\$35,000-\$39,999	1.4	3.1	3.7	2.1	4.9	6.5	.8	1.2	1.7	.0	2.5	2.5	1.3	.5	1.5
\$40,000-\$44,999	2.7	2.7	2.2	3.4	3.9	4.2	2.0	1.3	.8	1.9	.7	1.3	2.1	1.6	.7
\$45,000-\$49,999	1.4	2.5	1.8	2.9	4.1	3.3	.0	.7	.7	.0	.2	1.4	.0	1.0	.5
\$50,000 or more	4.3	7.3	8.8	6.3	10.7	15.7	2.3	3.4	3.9	1.7	4.2	7.2	2.6	3.0	2.8
Median income	\$11,038	\$13,664	\$16,086	\$14,502	\$20,043	\$24,991	\$9,163	\$9,936	\$11,596	\$9,017	\$11,349	\$13,902	\$9,253	\$9,300	\$11,049

See footnote at end of table.

Table IV.3.—Total money income other than earnings by age, sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit income other than earnings	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women		
							55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Nonbeneficiary units															
Number (in thousands)	10,323	1,856	2,388	6,027	1,046	910	4,296	810	1,478	1,658	296	471	2,637	514	1,007
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
None	23.0	23.5	28.1	14.7	14.6	19.1	34.6	34.9	33.7	34.1	41.3	33.8	35.0	31.3	33.7
Loss or \$1-\$999	20.8	19.0	9.4	22.7	20.7	12.1	18.1	16.8	7.8	18.3	12.4	4.8	18.0	19.4	9.2
\$1,000-\$1,999	7.3	5.8	3.2	8.1	5.7	4.5	6.2	5.8	2.4	5.0	5.8	2.4	6.9	5.8	2.4
\$2,000-\$2,999	4.7	4.7	2.4	5.4	5.7	4.2	3.6	3.3	1.4	3.4	.0	.9	3.8	5.2	1.6
\$3,000-\$3,999	3.2	3.7	3.4	3.7	4.4	3.0	2.6	2.9	3.6	2.0	4.9	4.4	3.0	1.8	3.2
\$4,000-\$4,999	3.4	1.9	2.7	3.6	2.3	1.7	3.0	1.4	3.3	2.7	2.6	2.2	3.2	.6	3.9
\$5,000-\$5,999	3.3	4.3	4.0	3.1	2.2	2.4	3.6	7.2	4.9	2.8	6.3	2.6	4.2	7.7	6.0
\$6,000-\$6,999	3.5	3.2	6.1	3.0	1.1	1.9	4.3	5.9	8.7	4.0	2.9	5.0	4.4	7.5	10.4
\$7,000-\$7,999	2.1	3.2	3.7	2.1	2.9	1.8	2.2	3.7	4.8	2.7	3.9	5.7	1.9	3.6	4.4
\$8,000-\$8,999	1.6	1.1	2.4	1.9	1.2	2.0	1.2	1.0	2.6	.2	.7	3.9	1.8	1.1	2.0
\$9,000-\$9,999	1.6	1.4	1.9	1.7	1.7	2.7	1.6	1.1	1.3	1.0	.9	2.6	2.0	1.2	.7
\$10,000-\$14,999	5.7	5.5	7.3	6.3	7.2	8.1	4.9	3.2	6.9	5.5	3.6	9.9	4.6	3.0	5.5
\$15,000-\$19,999	4.5	4.8	4.2	5.1	6.0	4.8	3.5	3.2	3.9	5.5	3.4	.7	2.3	3.1	5.4
\$20,000-\$24,999	3.6	3.7	3.4	4.7	3.8	4.2	2.1	3.6	3.0	2.1	6.3	4.8	2.0	2.0	2.1
\$25,000-\$29,999	2.3	2.3	2.9	2.8	3.4	4.3	1.7	.8	2.1	2.3	.0	2.3	1.3	1.3	2.0
\$30,000-\$34,999	1.5	2.9	3.2	1.8	4.3	4.2	1.1	1.2	2.7	1.4	2.0	3.5	.9	.8	2.3
\$35,000-\$39,999	1.5	1.4	2.0	1.6	1.6	3.6	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.3	.9	.5	1.5	1.2	1.3
\$40,000-\$44,999	1.1	2.1	1.8	1.4	3.3	2.6	.7	.6	1.3	.9	.0	1.4	.6	.9	1.3
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.8	.5	.4	.9	.6	.6	.6	.4	.3	1.1	1.1	.8	.2	.0	.1
\$50,000 or more	4.4	5.0	7.3	5.6	7.4	12.3	2.8	2.0	4.2	3.6	1.0	7.9	2.3	2.5	2.5
Median income	\$1,776	\$2,328	\$5,259	\$2,727	\$3,556	\$7,702	\$612	\$765	\$4,402	\$639	\$160	\$5,695	\$554	\$918	\$3,990

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

Table IV.4.—Retirement income,¹ total income, and poverty status² by age, sex, marital status, and receipt of various sources:
Number and percent of aged units 62 or older, 1998

Unit income, retirement income, and poverty status	Aged 62 or older			Age 62-64			Aged 65 or older			Age 65-74			Aged 75 or older		
	Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings	
		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No
	All units														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	27,018	7,202	19,815	3,436	2,172	1,264	23,582	5,030	18,552	12,052	4,000	8,052	11,530	1,030	10,500
Percent of total	94	92	95	86	85	87	96	95	96	95	95	95	96	96	96
Median:															
Total income	\$19,432	\$38,672	\$15,333	\$30,294	\$44,179	\$14,126	\$18,399	\$36,345	\$15,433	\$21,863	\$36,499	\$16,873	\$15,546	\$35,805	\$14,599
Retirement income	15,127	15,490	15,022	10,681	8,782	13,110	15,639	17,666	15,137	16,651	17,004	16,447	14,805	20,812	14,402
Percent poor:															
Total income	13	3	17	11	3	24	14	3	17	12	3	16	16	3	17
Retirement income	27	35	23	53	61	39	22	23	22	24	25	23	21	16	22
	All units with retirement benefits														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	25,517	5,973	19,544	2,534	1,329	1,205	22,983	4,644	18,339	11,603	3,649	7,954	11,380	995	10,385
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$18,815	\$36,337	\$15,485	\$24,557	\$40,068	\$14,532	\$18,327	\$35,547	\$15,561	\$21,624	\$35,678	\$17,029	\$15,614	\$35,098	\$14,705
Retirement income	15,721	17,811	15,173	14,020	14,310	13,744	15,881	18,381	15,266	17,079	17,861	16,633	14,903	20,970	14,505
Percent poor:															
Total income	14	3	17	14	4	25	14	2	17	12	2	17	16	4	17
Retirement income	19	21	19	33	38	28	18	15	18	18	17	18	18	12	18

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Note: The poverty rates in the 1996 edition were in error.
See corrected table on pages 154-159.

Table IV.4.—Retirement income,¹ total income, and poverty status ² by age, sex, marital status, and receipt of various sources:
Number and percent of aged units 62 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit income, retirement income, and poverty status	Aged 62 or older			Age 62-64			Aged 65 or older			Age 65-74			Aged 75 or older		
	Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings	
		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No			
	Married couples														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	11,887	4,878	7,010	1,987	1,515	472	9,900	3,363	6,537	6,073	2,761	3,312	3,827	602	3,225
Percent of total	96	95	98	91	90	94	97	97	98	97	97	97	98	97	98
Median:															
Total income	\$32,355	\$47,074	\$25,533	\$44,960	\$51,963	\$23,361	\$30,528	\$44,962	\$25,681	\$33,164	\$44,824	\$26,421	\$27,010	\$45,749	\$25,024
Retirement income	23,162	19,272	25,181	14,331	10,893	22,361	24,254	21,653	25,337	23,641	20,424	26,036	25,117	27,982	24,696
Percent poor:															
Total income	4	2	6	5	2	13	4	1	5	3	1	5	5	2	5
Retirement income	18	30	9	48	55	23	12	18	8	14	20	9	8	12	8
	Married couples with retirement benefits														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	10,991	4,074	6,916	1,408	957	451	9,583	3,117	6,466	5,813	2,539	3,274	3,770	579	3,192
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$31,212	\$44,848	\$25,688	\$39,574	\$47,074	\$23,848	\$30,292	\$43,764	\$25,816	\$32,741	\$43,678	\$26,541	\$27,036	\$44,053	\$25,174
Retirement income	24,287	21,910	25,360	20,199	19,191	23,004	24,638	22,513	25,499	24,197	21,490	26,199	25,269	28,102	24,855
Percent poor:															
Total income	4	1	5	5	2	12	4	1	5	3	1	5	4	2	5
Retirement income	10	17	6	28	34	16	8	12	6	9	13	6	6	8	5

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Table IV.4.—Retirement income,¹ total income, and poverty status² by age, sex, marital status, and receipt of various sources:
Number and percent of aged units 62 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit income, retirement income, and poverty status	Aged 62 or older			Age 62-64			Aged 65 or older			Age 65-74			Aged 75 or older		
	Earnings			Earnings			Earnings			Earnings			Earnings		
	Total	Yes	No	Total	Yes	No	Total	Yes	No	Total	Yes	No	Total	Yes	No
Married couples: One has retirement benefits															
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	2,778	2,012	766	941	744	197	1,837	1,268	569	1,575	1,144	431	262	124	138
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$37,653	\$47,025	\$17,804	\$42,319	\$48,054	\$20,651	\$35,322	\$46,324	\$16,695	\$36,203	\$45,913	\$17,557	\$25,420	\$50,349	\$13,936
Retirement income	15,590	15,251	16,743	15,771	14,867	18,717	15,524	15,436	15,836	15,652	15,334	16,939	14,032	17,382	13,300
Percent poor:															
Total income	7	2	21	6	2	19	8	2	22	6	2	19	19	6	30
Retirement income	29	30	26	37	40	26	25	25	26	24	24	23	32	27	36
Married couples: Both have retirement benefits															
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	8,212	2,062	6,150	466	213	253	7,746	1,849	5,897	4,238	1,395	2,843	3,508	454	3,054
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$29,892	\$42,331	\$26,438	\$35,444	\$44,434	\$26,346	\$29,653	\$42,074	\$26,442	\$31,912	\$41,977	\$27,605	\$27,076	\$42,341	\$25,507
Retirement income	26,390	26,997	26,207	27,838	29,224	26,346	26,281	26,558	26,200	26,735	25,486	27,331	25,773	30,172	25,227
Percent poor:															
Total income	3	1	3	4	2	6	2	0	3	2	0	2	3	1	4
Retirement income	4	4	4	9	11	8	3	3	4	3	3	3	4	3	4

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Table IV.4.—Retirement income,¹ total income, and poverty status² by age, sex, marital status, and receipt of various sources:
Number and percent of aged units 62 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit income, retirement income, and poverty status	Aged 62 or older			Age 62-64			Aged 65 or older			Age 65-74			Aged 75 or older		
	Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings	
		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No			
Nonmarried persons															
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	15,131	2,325	12,806	1,449	657	791	13,682	1,667	12,014	5,980	1,240	4,740	7,702	428	7,274
Percent of total	93	87	94	80	75	84	94	93	95	93	91	94	95	96	95
Median:															
Total income	\$12,688	\$23,095	\$11,502	\$15,680	\$25,935	\$10,186	\$12,477	\$22,455	\$11,567	\$13,400	\$22,256	\$11,232	\$12,060	\$23,750	\$11,715
Retirement income	11,104	10,091	11,274	8,494	6,402	9,952	11,340	11,279	11,347	10,906	10,840	10,923	11,627	12,887	11,578
Percent poor:															
Total income	20	5	23	18	5	30	21	5	23	20	5	24	21	6	22
Retirement income	33	45	31	59	72	48	30	32	30	33	36	32	27	21	28
Nonmarried persons with retirement benefits															
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	14,526	1,899	12,627	1,126	372	754	13,400	1,527	11,873	5,790	1,110	4,680	7,610	417	7,193
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$12,506	\$21,486	\$11,580	\$13,196	\$19,583	\$10,718	\$12,473	\$21,909	\$11,630	\$13,314	\$21,604	\$11,301	\$12,100	\$23,342	\$11,765
Retirement income	11,306	11,021	11,352	9,706	8,386	10,202	11,435	11,674	11,408	11,041	11,271	10,983	11,675	12,877	11,629
Percent poor:															
Total income	22	6	24	25	10	33	22	5	24	21	4	25	22	6	23
Retirement income	26	28	26	40	50	35	25	23	25	27	26	27	24	16	24

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Table IV.4.—Retirement income,¹ total income, and poverty status² by age, sex, marital status, and receipt of various sources:
Number and percent of aged units 62 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit income, retirement income, and poverty status	Aged 62 or older			Age 62-64			Aged 65 or older			Age 65-74			Aged 75 or older		
	Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings	
		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No			
														Yes	No
	Nonmarried men														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	3,889	714	3,175	493	219	274	3,396	495	2,902	1,686	361	1,325	1,710	134	1,576
Percent of total	91	82	94	78	69	87	94	89	95	92	89	94	95	91	95
Median:															
Total income	\$15,386	\$29,803	\$13,627	\$20,290	\$30,376	\$11,527	\$15,092	\$29,150	\$13,784	\$15,742	\$31,075	\$13,235	\$14,695	\$26,990	\$14,149
Retirement income	13,289	12,399	13,481	9,810	5,854	11,206	13,737	14,207	13,680	13,439	14,507	13,079	13,980	12,973	14,049
Percent poor:															
Total income	15	5	17	14	7	21	15	5	17	16	5	19	15	4	16
Retirement income	28	43	25	53	70	37	24	28	23	27	30	26	21	21	21
	Nonmarried men with retirement benefits														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	3,673	549	3,124	381	116	265	3,292	433	2,859	1,604	307	1,298	1,688	127	1,561
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$15,046	\$25,047	\$13,743	\$14,946	\$22,242	\$11,602	\$15,058	\$26,278	\$13,890	\$15,692	\$26,237	\$13,466	\$14,687	\$26,755	\$14,183
Retirement income	13,602	13,595	13,603	10,955	10,107	11,339	13,838	14,267	13,787	13,630	14,587	13,365	14,009	12,927	14,083
Percent poor:															
Total income	17	7	18	21	17	22	16	5	18	17	5	19	16	4	16
Retirement income	19	21	19	30	41	25	18	15	19	20	17	21	17	12	17

See footnotes at end of table.

Note: The poverty rates in the 1996 edition were in error.
See corrected table on pages 154-159.

Table IV.4.—Retirement income,¹ total income, and poverty status² by age, sex, marital status, and receipt of various sources:
Number and percent of aged units 62 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit income, retirement income, and poverty status	Aged 62 or older			Age 62-64			Aged 65 or older			Age 65-74			Aged 75 or older		
	Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings	
		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No
	Nonmarried women														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	11,241	1,611	9,630	956	438	517	10,286	1,173	9,113	4,293	879	3,415	5,992	294	5,698
Percent of total	93	89	94	81	79	82	95	94	95	94	93	94	96	98	95
Median:															
Total income	\$11,965	\$21,615	\$11,002	\$14,588	\$22,411	\$9,649	\$11,811	\$21,363	\$11,052	\$12,577	\$20,754	\$10,817	\$11,476	\$23,476	\$11,177
Retirement income	10,587	9,507	10,758	7,891	6,526	9,341	10,791	10,559	10,821	10,323	9,856	10,460	11,082	12,798	11,014
Percent poor:															
Total income	22	5	25	20	4	34	23	5	25	22	5	26	23	6	24
Retirement income	35	46	33	63	73	53	32	34	32	35	38	35	29	20	30
	Nonmarried women with retirement benefits														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	10,853	1,350	9,504	745	256	489	10,108	1,093	9,014	4,186	804	3,382	5,922	290	5,632
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$11,868	\$20,326	\$11,074	\$12,573	\$17,784	\$10,118	\$11,824	\$20,878	\$11,105	\$12,492	\$20,241	\$10,866	\$11,528	\$23,062	\$11,232
Retirement income	10,775	10,379	10,832	9,009	7,990	9,754	10,879	10,913	10,874	10,468	10,295	10,510	11,134	12,825	11,070
Percent poor:															
Total income	24	5	26	28	7	38	23	5	26	23	4	27	24	7	25
Retirement income	28	32	28	45	55	40	27	26	27	30	29	30	25	18	26

¹ Income from reasonably permanent sources including retirement benefits, veterans' benefits, and income from assets.

² The money income and retirement income of aged married and nonmarried persons are compared with the official poverty income lines for couples or nonmarried persons

living alone, whether or not, in fact, they do so. In 1998, the poverty line was \$9,862 for a two-person unit aged 65 or older, \$7,818 for one person aged 65 or older, and \$10,972 and \$8,480 for two- and one-person units, respectively, under 65.

Note: The poverty rates in the 1996 edition were in error.
See corrected table on pages 154-159.

Table V.A.1.—Income from Social Security benefits by age: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit Social Security (recipients only) ¹	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
Number (in thousands)	1,478	2,141	22,257	5,452	5,684	4,952	3,595	2,575
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	1.1	.4	.1	.2	.0	.0	.1	.0
\$500-\$999	1.2	2.1	.3	.3	.5	.2	.3	.4
\$1,000-\$1,499	2.0	1.4	.4	.5	.5	.5	.2	.5
\$1,500-\$1,999 .....	.9	1.0	.4	.6	.4	.3	.5	.2
\$2,000-\$2,499 .....	.9	1.9	.6	.9	.8	.5	.2	.4
\$2,500-\$2,999	1.7	2.3	1.0	1.3	.8	.9	1.2	.9
\$3,000-\$3,499	1.6	4.1	.7	.9	.8	.5	.9	.6
\$3,500-\$3,999	2.2	1.9	1.3	1.8	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.4
\$4,000-\$4,499	1.4	2.1	2.1	2.5	2.1	1.4	1.8	3.0
\$4,500-\$4,999	3.6	2.2	2.1	2.2	1.9	2.0	1.6	2.7
\$5,000-\$5,999	9.4	7.8	4.7	4.2	5.1	4.8	3.9	5.9
\$6,000-\$6,999	13.1	8.0	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.2	5.7	7.8
\$7,000-\$7,999	8.9	6.9	7.7	7.6	7.3	7.6	6.2	11.3
\$8,000-\$8,999	7.8	7.7	8.8	8.3	8.2	8.4	10.2	10.1
\$9,000-\$9,999	7.8	8.2	7.7	6.8	7.1	8.1	7.7	10.4
\$10,000-\$10,999	8.4	8.5	9.8	8.6	9.1	9.7	11.1	12.4
\$11,000-\$11,999	4.6	7.6	7.2	7.6	5.5	7.9	8.1	7.4
\$12,000-\$12,999	6.0	8.0	5.9	6.4	5.7	5.1	6.8	5.4
\$13,000-\$13,999	3.9	3.9	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	3.1
\$14,000-\$14,999	7.0	3.3	4.2	3.9	3.9	4.7	5.0	3.5
\$15,000-\$19,999	5.1	7.7	15.8	17.2	19.0	16.0	13.9	8.0
\$20,000-\$24,999	1.1	2.3	6.2	6.0	7.3	6.6	6.2	3.0
\$25,000 or more .....	.4	.7	2.2	1.4	2.2	3.0	2.8	1.5
Median income	\$8,329	\$9,105	\$10,486	\$10,600	\$10,791	\$10,761	\$10,686	\$9,358

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

Table V.A.2.—Income from Social Security benefits by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit Social Security (recipients only) ¹	Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women		
				55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Number (in thousands)	731	1,133	9,248	748	1,008	13,009	270	339	3,152	478	669	9,857
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	1.2	.2	.1	1.0	.6	.1	1.0	.6	.2	1.0	.6	.1
\$500-\$999	1.5	1.0	.1	.8	3.3	.5	.4	6.5	.7	1.1	1.7	.5
\$1,000-\$1,499	2.0	1.4	.2	2.1	1.4	.6	1.5	1.6	.4	2.4	1.2	.7
\$1,500-\$1,999	1.9	1.1	.5	.0	.9	.4	.0	1.7	.6	.0	.5	.3
\$2,000-\$2,499	1.3	1.3	.5	.5	2.4	.7	.0	3.3	1.2	.7	2.0	.5
\$2,500-\$2,999	1.8	2.3	.5	1.7	2.4	1.4	2.9	5.0	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.5
\$3,000-\$3,499	1.8	4.6	.3	1.4	3.6	1.0	.0	2.3	1.2	2.2	4.3	.9
\$3,500-\$3,999	1.5	2.3	.9	2.9	1.4	1.5	5.3	.3	1.1	1.6	2.0	1.7
\$4,000-\$4,499 .....	.9	1.5	1.0	1.8	2.7	2.9	.7	1.7	2.4	2.5	3.2	3.1
\$4,500-\$4,999	3.5	1.8	.6	3.7	2.7	3.1	3.7	1.7	2.0	3.7	3.1	3.5
\$5,000-\$5,999	7.3	5.3	1.5	11.5	10.6	7.0	10.1	3.5	5.4	12.2	14.2	7.5
\$6,000-\$6,999	12.1	5.7	1.9	14.1	10.6	9.5	9.9	6.7	7.4	16.4	12.6	10.2
\$7,000-\$7,999	4.9	4.2	2.5	12.9	10.0	11.4	14.8	6.9	9.5	11.8	11.5	12.0
\$8,000-\$8,999	5.5	5.4	3.3	9.9	10.2	12.7	11.4	6.5	10.4	9.1	12.1	13.4
\$9,000-\$9,999	8.2	5.5	3.6	7.3	11.3	10.6	7.4	13.5	10.1	7.3	10.2	10.8
\$10,000-\$10,999	6.3	8.1	5.3	10.5	9.0	13.0	8.5	10.3	14.1	11.6	8.3	12.7
\$11,000-\$11,999	4.9	9.4	5.8	4.2	5.6	8.2	6.4	8.4	10.1	3.0	4.2	7.6
\$12,000-\$12,999	7.8	10.8	5.4	4.1	4.9	6.2	5.4	6.3	7.8	3.4	4.3	5.7
\$13,000-\$13,999	5.8	4.2	6.1	2.0	3.6	3.2	.7	8.0	4.9	2.7	1.4	2.7
\$14,000-\$14,999	9.2	4.8	6.6	4.8	1.5	2.5	6.7	3.6	3.5	3.8	.4	2.2
\$15,000-\$19,999	8.8	13.9	34.5	1.4	.9	2.5	1.2	1.8	5.0	1.5	.4	1.7
\$20,000-\$24,999	1.5	4.1	14.4	.8	.3	.3	2.1	.0	.3	.0	.5	.3
\$25,000 or more .....	.3	1.2	4.7	.6	.2	.5	.0	.0	.5	.9	.2	.5
Median income	\$9,355	\$10,815	\$15,557	\$7,636	\$7,878	\$8,791	\$8,036	\$9,146	\$9,529	\$7,495	\$7,395	\$8,576

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

Table V.A.3.—Income from Social Security benefits by sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Unit Social Security (recipients only) ¹	White					Black					Hispanic origin ²				
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women
Number (in thousands)	19,794	8,514	11,280	2,680	8,600	2,016	529	1,487	404	1,083	1,032	396	637	198	439
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499 .....	.1	.1	.1	.2	.1	.0	.0	.0	.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
\$500-\$999 .....	.3	.1	.6	.8	.5	.4	.0	.5	.0	.7	.3	.5	.2	.0	.3
\$1,000-\$1,499 .....	.4	.1	.6	.3	.7	.3	.1	.3	.0	.5	.2	.2	.2	.7	.0
\$1,500-\$1,999 .....	.4	.5	.4	.6	.3	.5	.3	.5	.8	.4	.4	.0	.6	.6	.6
\$2,000-\$2,499 .....	.5	.5	.5	.8	.4	1.8	.7	2.2	3.5	1.8	.8	1.1	.7	.6	.7
\$2,500-\$2,999 .....	.9	.5	1.2	1.2	1.2	2.3	.6	2.9	.0	4.0	1.4	1.3	1.4	.7	1.8
\$3,000-\$3,499 .....	.7	.4	.9	1.3	.8	1.5	.0	2.0	.9	2.4	1.6	.4	2.4	1.6	2.8
\$3,500-\$3,999	1.2	.9	1.4	1.2	1.5	1.6	.9	1.9	.0	2.6	2.2	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.3
\$4,000-\$4,499	1.9	.9	2.7	2.4	2.8	3.4	.7	4.4	1.9	5.3	2.9	2.1	3.4	2.7	3.7
\$4,500-\$4,999	1.7	.5	2.6	1.4	2.9	5.4	1.1	7.0	5.9	7.3	4.9	1.0	7.4	3.8	9.0
\$5,000-\$5,999	4.3	1.4	6.5	4.6	7.0	9.2	2.9	11.4	10.6	11.7	9.0	2.6	12.9	5.1	16.5
\$6,000-\$6,999	5.8	1.8	8.8	6.6	9.5	10.9	1.5	14.2	10.0	15.8	10.6	1.7	16.2	7.5	20.1
\$7,000-\$7,999	7.1	2.4	10.6	8.3	11.4	14.3	5.3	17.5	19.4	16.7	13.0	8.3	15.9	16.7	15.6
\$8,000-\$8,999	8.8	3.0	13.1	11.1	13.8	9.2	7.3	9.8	5.9	11.3	9.9	6.4	12.1	18.2	9.4
\$9,000-\$9,999	7.8	3.4	11.2	10.2	11.5	6.6	7.3	6.4	10.7	4.8	6.7	5.8	7.3	13.3	4.6
\$10,000-\$10,999	10.0	5.0	13.8	14.7	13.6	7.8	8.6	7.5	10.6	6.4	8.4	10.5	7.1	11.8	5.0
\$11,000-\$11,999	7.4	5.6	8.8	10.6	8.2	5.4	8.5	4.3	7.9	3.0	4.1	4.2	4.0	5.6	3.3
\$12,000-\$12,999	6.1	5.3	6.7	8.3	6.2	3.5	6.1	2.6	5.2	1.6	4.6	7.4	2.9	7.0	1.1
\$13,000-\$13,999	4.6	6.2	3.4	5.1	2.8	2.6	3.9	2.2	4.3	1.4	3.3	5.8	1.7	1.1	2.0
\$14,000-\$14,999	4.5	6.8	2.7	3.9	2.4	2.3	7.1	.6	.6	.6	2.7	6.1	.5	1.0	.3
\$15,000-\$19,999	16.7	35.3	2.7	5.7	1.7	6.6	22.2	1.1	.7	1.2	9.1	23.1	.5	.0	.7
\$20,000-\$24,999	6.5	14.8	.3	.3	.3	3.0	10.9	.2	.8	.0	3.3	8.7	.0	.0	.0
\$25,000 or more	2.3	4.8	.5	.5	.5	1.3	3.9	.4	.1	.5	.3	.9	.0	.0	.0
Median income	\$10,806	\$15,712	\$9,029	\$9,729	\$8,824	\$7,992	\$12,701	\$7,113	\$8,023	\$6,813	\$8,268	\$12,343	\$7,234	\$8,544	\$6,486

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

² Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Table V.A.4.—Income from Social Security benefits by quintiles of total money income ¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Unit Social Security (recipients only) ²	Quintiles of total money income									
	All units					Married couples				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Number (in thousands)	3,763	4,802	4,742	4,592	4,357	1,687	1,968	1,944	1,887	1,763
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499 .....	.2	.0	.0	.1	.2	.0	.0	.1	.1	.0
\$500-\$999	1.6	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.1	.0	.0	.1
\$1,000-\$1,499	1.2	.3	.4	.1	.3	.3	.0	.1	.3	.2
\$1,500-\$1,999 .....	.6	.2	.2	.4	.7	.7	.2	.0	.4	1.2
\$2,000-\$2,499	1.5	.5	.2	.6	.4	.8	.6	.4	.3	.5
\$2,500-\$2,999	2.8	.5	.7	.6	.8	.9	.0	.5	.5	.7
\$3,000-\$3,499	2.3	.2	.4	.6	.4	.4	.3	.2	.5	.3
\$3,500-\$3,999	3.8	.7	.6	.6	1.1	1.7	.2	.3	.6	1.7
\$4,000-\$4,499	7.0	1.3	1.3	.7	1.3	1.6	.5	.7	.8	1.4
\$4,500-\$4,999	7.3	1.2	.9	.9	1.0	.7	.5	.3	.2	1.1
\$5,000-\$5,999	15.8	3.3	2.6	2.2	1.9	2.6	1.1	1.2	.9	1.8
\$6,000-\$6,999	20.5	5.3	3.3	3.1	1.9	2.9	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.6
\$7,000-\$7,999	22.6	6.3	5.7	3.1	3.5	5.2	1.5	1.6	2.3	2.4
\$8,000-\$8,999	12.0	16.0	8.1	4.6	3.2	6.5	2.3	2.8	2.2	3.0
\$9,000-\$9,999 .....	.4	18.8	8.1	4.8	4.5	7.0	2.3	2.9	3.7	2.6
\$10,000-\$10,999 .....	.1	20.2	11.6	9.0	5.6	10.2	5.3	3.9	3.7	3.6
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.1	11.4	8.9	6.7	7.2	10.6	5.0	2.1	6.2	5.5
\$12,000-\$12,999 .....	.0	8.1	7.7	6.6	5.7	10.6	3.7	5.2	4.2	3.8
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.0	4.8	5.8	5.8	4.7	9.9	6.5	4.6	4.5	5.3
\$14,000-\$14,999 .....	.0	.7	8.5	5.8	5.3	9.2	7.6	6.6	5.3	4.7
\$15,000-\$19,999 .....	.1	.0	21.8	29.3	26.0	18.0	46.7	43.2	36.7	24.8
\$20,000-\$24,999 .....	.0	.0	2.9	12.4	15.2	.1	13.6	17.8	18.4	20.9
\$25,000 or more .....	.0	.0	.0	2.1	9.1	.0	.3	4.0	6.5	12.8
Median income	\$6,300	\$9,648	\$11,721	\$13,908	\$15,131	\$11,748	\$16,167	\$16,681	\$16,847	\$16,662

See footnotes at end of table.

Table V.A.4.—Income from Social Security benefits by quintiles of total money income ¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit Social Security (recipients only) ²	Quintiles of total money income				
	Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Number (in thousands)	2,109	2,767	2,798	2,767	2,568
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499 .....	.3	.0	.0	.0	.2
\$500-\$999	2.6	.2	.1	.0	.2
\$1,000-\$1,499	2.1	.0	.4	.6	.3
\$1,500-\$1,999 .....	.7	.2	.1	.4	.8
\$2,000-\$2,499	2.1	.7	.1	.1	.7
\$2,500-\$2,999	3.8	.7	.5	1.3	1.3
\$3,000-\$3,499	3.9	.2	.3	.4	1.0
\$3,500-\$3,999	4.8	1.0	.7	1.0	.9
\$4,000-\$4,499	10.3	2.1	1.2	1.6	1.2
\$4,500-\$4,999	11.4	2.1	1.1	1.1	1.8
\$5,000-\$5,999	24.0	4.9	2.9	3.5	3.7
\$6,000-\$6,999	28.7	8.0	6.2	4.1	4.8
\$7,000-\$7,999	4.9	28.8	6.6	8.7	6.2
\$8,000-\$8,999 .....	.0	28.1	12.3	12.2	7.6
\$9,000-\$9,999 .....	.3	18.7	10.6	11.9	9.1
\$10,000-\$10,999 .....	.0	4.3	26.0	16.9	14.8
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.0	.1	15.8	10.8	12.6
\$12,000-\$12,999 .....	.1	.0	9.8	9.3	10.6
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.0	.0	4.5	5.7	5.2
\$14,000-\$14,999 .....	.1	.0	.6	5.8	5.6
\$15,000-\$19,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	4.4	7.9
\$20,000-\$24,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.4	1.2
\$25,000 or more .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.4
Median income	\$5,318	\$8,090	\$10,073	\$10,019	\$10,673

¹ Quintile limits are \$8,792, \$14,224, \$22,255, and \$37,962 for all units; \$17,512, \$25,595, \$36,019, and \$57,808 for married couples; and \$7,126, \$10,168, \$14,373, and \$22,510 for nonmarried persons.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

Table V.A.5.—Income from Social Security benefits of nonmarried persons: Percentage distribution of persons aged 65 or older, 1998

Person Social Security (recipients only) ¹	Nonmarried men				Nonmarried women			
	Total ²	Widowed	Never married	Divorced	Total ²	Widowed	Never married	Divorced
Number (in thousands)	3,152	1,755	406	754	9,857	7,719	640	1,103
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499 .....	.2	.2	.0	.3	.1	.1	.0	.2
\$500-\$999 .....	.7	.9	1.0	.2	.5	.5	.3	.9
\$1,000-\$1,499 .....	.4	.7	.0	.2	.7	.5	2.3	.4
\$1,500-\$1,999 .....	.6	.6	1.2	.5	.3	.2	1.3	.5
\$2,000-\$2,499	1.2	1.2	2.4	.8	.5	.4	.0	.7
\$2,500-\$2,999	1.1	1.1	2.4	.8	1.5	1.4	.4	2.4
\$3,000-\$3,499	1.2	1.0	4.0	.3	.9	.8	2.8	1.1
\$3,500-\$3,999	1.1	1.4	.6	1.1	1.7	1.6	1.0	2.2
\$4,000-\$4,499	2.4	2.5	3.1	1.7	3.1	2.6	4.9	4.8
\$4,500-\$4,999	2.0	1.1	4.6	2.5	3.5	3.0	4.4	5.5
\$5,000-\$5,999	5.4	3.5	8.4	7.3	7.5	6.3	11.7	11.7
\$6,000-\$6,999	7.4	5.3	11.2	9.5	10.2	9.1	14.9	13.8
\$7,000-\$7,999	9.5	9.6	8.2	10.7	12.0	11.9	9.8	14.1
\$8,000-\$8,999	10.4	10.4	6.6	12.6	13.4	14.4	9.6	11.2
\$9,000-\$9,999	10.1	7.9	17.4	12.9	10.8	11.2	8.9	10.4
\$10,000-\$10,999	14.1	15.9	6.5	13.0	12.7	13.6	15.3	6.8
\$11,000-\$11,999	10.1	11.1	9.3	8.6	7.6	8.7	2.8	4.1
\$12,000-\$12,999	7.8	9.4	4.0	5.7	5.7	6.0	4.5	5.7
\$13,000-\$13,999	4.9	6.4	1.9	3.0	2.7	2.8	.8	1.9
\$14,000-\$14,999	3.5	3.9	2.1	2.9	2.2	2.5	1.0	.7
\$15,000-\$19,999	5.0	5.7	2.2	4.6	1.7	1.8	2.3	.2
\$20,000-\$24,999 .....	.3	.3	1.2	.2	.3	.3	.6	.0
\$25,000 or more .....	.5	.2	1.7	.4	.5	.5	.3	.7
Median income	\$9,529	\$9,948	\$8,469	\$9,067	\$8,576	\$8,854	\$7,762	\$7,546

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

² Includes those who are separated or married but living apart from the spouse.

Table V.B.1.—Income from earnings by age: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit earnings (recipients only)	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
Number (in thousands)	9,498	2,550	5,275	2,679	1,526	709	278	84
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	2.1	3.2	8.6	6.1	9.0	12.1	18.8	14.0
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.6	2.1	3.5	2.5	3.8	5.5	6.6	.7
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.9	2.3	3.6	3.4	3.8	4.8	3.2	.0
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.7	1.9	3.7	2.9	4.1	6.5	2.9	3.4
\$4,000-\$4,999 .....	.8	1.2	3.3	2.9	3.6	3.3	5.1	5.7
\$5,000-\$5,999 .....	.8	2.5	4.0	3.0	4.5	6.0	6.2	1.3
\$6,000-\$6,999 .....	.8	1.5	2.9	3.1	3.3	1.7	1.9	.0
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.1	1.2	3.9	3.8	3.5	4.2	5.8	4.6
\$8,000-\$8,999	1.2	2.3	3.9	4.1	4.5	3.4	.6	4.6
\$9,000-\$9,999 .....	.9	2.3	2.5	1.9	3.6	2.5	3.8	.0
\$10,000-\$10,999	1.6	1.7	3.8	2.9	5.5	4.5	1.9	2.4
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.8	1.4	1.8	2.1	1.4	2.2	.0	2.8
\$12,000-\$12,999	1.6	2.5	3.8	3.2	3.4	5.9	5.1	5.6
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.0	1.0	2.1	2.2	2.3	.7	3.1	.0
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.4	1.2	2.0	2.5	1.6	2.2	.7	.0
\$15,000-\$19,999	6.3	9.3	7.6	8.9	6.3	7.4	3.9	6.2
\$20,000-\$24,999	7.3	7.6	7.8	8.8	6.8	5.7	6.9	14.3
\$25,000-\$29,999	7.6	8.6	5.6	5.1	6.9	5.5	4.6	2.2
\$30,000-\$34,999	6.3	6.3	3.6	4.3	3.2	3.0	1.0	.0
\$35,000-\$39,999	6.5	5.0	3.9	4.4	3.4	3.3	2.9	3.3
\$40,000-\$44,999	5.4	5.3	2.8	3.5	2.8	.8	1.5	1.8
\$45,000-\$49,999	5.2	3.9	1.2	1.6	.8	1.1	.0	2.8
\$50,000-\$54,999	4.9	3.8	2.3	2.5	2.2	1.2	1.9	10.5
\$55,000-\$59,999	3.8	2.3	1.2	1.6	.7	.3	1.8	2.5
\$60,000-\$64,999	4.1	3.0	1.5	2.0	1.5	.0	1.4	.0
\$65,000-\$69,999	3.1	2.1	.6	.5	.8	1.1	.0	.0
\$70,000-\$74,999	2.8	2.9	.7	1.0	.4	.0	.0	3.1
\$75,000-\$99,999	9.0	5.8	3.1	3.6	2.4	1.8	5.9	2.5
\$100,000-\$149,999	7.0	3.7	2.8	3.5	2.4	1.9	.9	2.6
\$150,000-\$199,999	1.4	.5	.4	.4	.3	.0	1.5	.0
\$200,000 or more	2.9	1.5	1.4	1.7	1.1	1.3	.0	2.9
Median income	\$39,067	\$26,997	\$12,986	\$15,817	\$11,244	\$9,510	\$7,756	\$17,255

Table V.B.2.—Income from earnings by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit earnings (recipients only)	Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women		
				55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Number (in thousands)	6,250	1,676	3,474	3,247	875	1,802	1,251	319	554	1,996	556	1,248
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	1.5	2.5	6.8	3.2	4.6	12.0	3.1	3.3	9.8	3.3	5.3	13.0
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.3	1.0	3.2	1.0	4.1	4.0	.9	6.4	2.7	1.1	2.8	4.6
\$2,000-\$2,999 .....	.4	2.4	3.2	1.9	1.9	4.4	2.0	.0	2.7	1.8	3.0	5.1
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.5	1.5	2.9	1.2	2.6	5.4	.7	2.1	7.4	1.5	2.9	4.5
\$4,000-\$4,999 .....	.4	1.3	2.9	1.5	1.1	4.2	.7	1.6	2.3	2.0	.7	5.0
\$5,000-\$5,999 .....	.5	.7	3.4	1.4	5.8	5.2	.8	4.3	5.9	1.8	6.7	4.8
\$6,000-\$6,999 .....	.6	1.7	2.7	1.3	1.3	3.2	.9	.8	2.4	1.5	1.6	3.6
\$7,000-\$7,999 .....	.4	.5	3.4	2.4	2.6	5.0	2.4	1.9	4.2	2.4	3.0	5.3
\$8,000-\$8,999 .....	.8	1.7	2.8	2.0	3.4	6.2	.4	1.1	5.9	3.0	4.7	6.3
\$9,000-\$9,999 .....	.6	2.0	2.6	1.6	2.9	2.5	.5	2.1	1.0	2.2	3.4	3.1
\$10,000-\$10,999 .....	.6	1.1	3.4	3.5	2.9	4.6	4.3	4.5	2.9	3.0	2.0	5.4
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.6	1.0	1.4	1.4	2.2	2.6	1.2	1.1	3.1	1.5	2.8	2.4
\$12,000-\$12,999 .....	.8	2.3	3.3	3.2	3.0	4.7	2.6	2.8	1.1	3.6	3.0	6.2
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.6	.8	2.1	1.7	1.3	2.0	1.2	1.5	2.5	2.1	1.2	1.7
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.0	1.2	1.8	2.2	1.1	2.4	1.4	.8	2.0	2.7	1.3	2.6
\$15,000-\$19,999	4.1	7.4	8.3	10.4	12.8	6.4	8.5	11.0	7.5	11.5	13.8	5.9
\$20,000-\$24,999	5.6	6.8	8.5	10.4	9.1	6.4	9.9	11.5	8.1	10.7	7.8	5.6
\$25,000-\$29,999	5.7	7.9	6.1	11.1	10.1	4.6	9.9	8.9	6.1	11.9	10.8	4.0
\$30,000-\$34,999	5.4	6.8	4.3	8.2	5.4	2.1	7.5	6.2	1.6	8.6	4.9	2.3
\$35,000-\$39,999	6.0	4.6	4.6	7.7	5.7	2.3	8.9	6.0	2.1	6.9	5.5	2.4
\$40,000-\$44,999	5.9	6.1	3.4	4.4	3.8	1.6	5.8	2.4	4.0	3.5	4.6	.6
\$45,000-\$49,999	6.4	4.7	1.6	3.0	2.4	.4	3.6	6.1	.6	2.7	.3	.3
\$50,000-\$54,999	5.3	4.4	2.4	4.1	2.9	2.2	5.7	3.6	4.1	3.0	2.4	1.3
\$55,000-\$59,999	4.8	3.3	1.7	1.9	.4	.2	2.7	.0	.0	1.3	.6	.3
\$60,000-\$64,999	5.1	4.1	1.8	2.1	1.0	1.1	2.7	1.6	1.7	1.7	.7	.8
\$65,000-\$69,999	4.2	2.9	.9	1.0	.7	.1	1.5	2.0	.0	.7	.0	.2
\$70,000-\$74,999	3.8	4.0	.9	1.1	.8	.3	1.6	.8	.6	.8	.8	.1
\$75,000-\$99,999	12.1	7.9	3.8	3.0	1.8	1.6	4.5	2.5	2.5	2.1	1.4	1.3
\$100,000-\$149,999	9.9	4.8	3.6	1.3	1.8	1.2	2.3	2.3	2.5	.7	1.5	.7
\$150,000-\$199,999	2.2	.7	.6	.0	.3	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.4	.0
\$200,000 or more	4.0	2.1	1.5	.8	.4	1.2	1.6	1.0	2.5	.3	.0	.6
Median income	\$50,677	\$34,513	\$16,362	\$24,535	\$18,374	\$9,047	\$28,042	\$20,196	\$11,819	\$21,343	\$16,752	\$8,392

Table V.B.3.—Income from earnings by age and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit earnings (recipients only)	Beneficiary units ¹			Nonbeneficiary units		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Number (in thousands)	594	1,033	4,406	8,904	1,518	869
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	4.5	5.5	9.3	1.9	1.6	5.0
\$1,000-\$1,999	2.0	4.1	4.0	.5	.7	.8
\$2,000-\$2,999	2.7	4.3	4.1	.8	.9	1.3
\$3,000-\$3,999	2.7	2.5	4.2	.6	1.5	1.6
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.0	2.4	3.7	.7	.4	1.3
\$5,000-\$5,999	1.7	4.4	4.0	.8	1.2	3.9
\$6,000-\$6,999	2.7	3.1	3.0	.7	.5	2.1
\$7,000-\$7,999	3.2	2.1	4.2	.9	.6	2.2
\$8,000-\$8,999	3.0	3.8	4.5	1.1	1.2	.8
\$9,000-\$9,999	1.2	4.1	2.6	.9	1.1	2.1
\$10,000-\$10,999	2.6	2.4	4.1	1.5	1.2	2.5
\$11,000-\$11,999	3.1	2.5	1.8	.7	.7	1.9
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.6	4.4	4.0	1.6	1.2	2.8
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.2	1.6	2.0	1.0	.6	2.1
\$14,000-\$14,999	2.9	1.6	2.2	1.3	.9	1.2
\$15,000-\$19,999	10.3	11.7	8.0	6.0	7.6	5.8
\$20,000-\$24,999	9.2	7.9	8.0	7.1	7.4	6.7
\$25,000-\$29,999	9.3	6.1	5.6	7.5	10.3	6.0
\$30,000-\$34,999	6.9	5.1	3.4	6.3	7.1	4.5
\$35,000-\$39,999	7.8	4.2	3.6	6.5	5.5	5.2
\$40,000-\$44,999	3.2	3.3	2.6	5.6	6.7	3.9
\$45,000-\$49,999	2.3	3.2	1.0	5.4	4.4	2.1
\$50,000-\$54,999 .....	.9	1.8	1.6	5.2	5.3	6.0
\$55,000-\$59,999	2.8	1.5	1.0	3.8	2.8	2.3
\$60,000-\$64,999	3.0	1.4	1.0	4.1	4.1	4.3
\$65,000-\$69,999	1.4	1.0	.5	3.2	3.0	1.2
\$70,000-\$74,999	1.0	.7	.4	3.0	4.4	2.1
\$75,000-\$99,999	2.9	2.3	2.3	9.4	8.1	7.1
\$100,000-\$149,999	1.0	.9	2.0	7.4	5.7	7.2
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.0	.0	.2	1.5	.9	1.4
\$200,000 or more .....	.7	.2	1.1	3.1	2.4	2.6
Median income	\$20,662	\$15,003	\$11,560	\$40,708	\$37,001	\$28,911

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured,

or special age-72 benefits.

Table V.B.4.—Income from earnings by race, Hispanic origin, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Unit earnings (recipients only)	White			Black			Hispanic origin ¹		
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons
Number (in thousands)	4,742	3,161	1,580	387	202	185	244	158	86
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	8.8	6.8	12.7	8.8	10.1	7.3	8.5	4.0	16.9
\$1,000-\$1,999	3.7	3.3	4.4	.6	1.2	.0	5.0	3.3	8.1
\$2,000-\$2,999	3.2	2.8	4.2	9.2	12.1	6.1	2.1	.9	4.3
\$3,000-\$3,999	3.8	3.0	5.3	4.8	2.1	7.7	2.7	3.1	2.0
\$4,000-\$4,999	3.1	2.5	4.4	6.8	10.3	2.9	2.1	2.4	1.5
\$5,000-\$5,999	3.8	3.4	4.8	5.6	2.7	8.8	1.9	2.1	1.7
\$6,000-\$6,999	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.1	1.0	3.4	2.9	2.3	3.9
\$7,000-\$7,999	3.9	3.6	4.6	4.4	.2	9.0	5.0	3.7	7.4
\$8,000-\$8,999	4.0	2.8	6.3	4.3	3.8	4.8	2.4	2.9	1.6
\$9,000-\$9,999	2.4	2.5	2.0	3.9	3.5	4.4	1.8	2.0	1.5
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.8	3.4	4.5	3.5	.6	6.7	7.4	7.2	7.8
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.7	1.3	2.5	2.4	3.5	1.3	2.3	2.7	1.7
\$12,000-\$12,999	4.0	3.5	5.0	1.9	1.5	2.4	6.9	6.6	7.6
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.9	2.0	1.7	3.8	2.8	4.9	3.9	6.1	.0
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.8	.0	5.8	1.3	2.0	.0
\$15,000-\$19,999	7.9	8.4	7.0	5.0	7.7	2.1	15.7	13.4	19.8
\$20,000-\$24,999	7.6	8.5	5.8	9.1	7.7	10.6	6.8	6.9	6.8
\$25,000-\$29,999	5.7	6.3	4.5	6.1	6.4	5.8	2.4	1.4	4.2
\$30,000-\$34,999	3.7	4.3	2.4	2.4	4.6	.0	2.8	4.4	.0
\$35,000-\$39,999	3.8	4.4	2.5	3.1	4.7	1.3	2.8	4.2	.2
\$40,000-\$44,999	2.8	3.4	1.6	1.7	2.2	1.1	2.7	3.4	1.4
\$45,000-\$49,999	1.2	1.6	.4	.5	1.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
\$50,000-\$54,999	2.3	2.5	2.0	3.0	2.6	3.5	1.3	2.1	.0
\$55,000-\$59,999	1.2	1.6	.3	1.8	3.5	.0	1.2	1.9	.0
\$60,000-\$64,999	1.6	1.9	1.2	.1	.2	.0	1.4	2.1	.0
\$65,000-\$69,999 .....	.7	1.0	.1	.0	.0	.0	.6	.9	.0
\$70,000-\$74,999 .....	.7	.8	.3	1.1	2.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
\$75,000-\$99,999	3.2	3.8	1.9	.0	.0	.0	4.2	6.4	.0
\$100,000-\$149,999	2.9	3.7	1.4	.2	.4	.0	1.2	1.8	.0
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.4	.5	.0	.7	1.3	.0	.0	.0	.0
\$200,000 or more	1.5	1.6	1.3	.0	.0	.0	.6	.0	1.7
Median income	\$13,234	\$16,365	\$9,097	\$9,644	\$10,907	\$8,720	\$12,382	\$13,996	\$9,479

¹ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Table V.B.5.—Income from earnings by quintiles of total money income¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Unit earnings (recipients only)	Quintiles of total money income														
	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Number (in thousands)	190	392	851	1,407	2,436	265	412	650	935	1,212	95	86	245	506	870
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	46.7	24.0	8.9	7.2	3.8	28.9	8.4	8.5	3.3	3.2	50.2	32.5	18.6	7.1	6.9
\$1,000-\$1,999	11.4	7.1	6.5	2.6	1.7	5.6	7.2	4.1	1.8	1.9	11.9	13.7	6.2	5.2	1.0
\$2,000-\$2,999	5.2	13.3	6.6	2.7	1.5	8.5	8.7	3.7	1.9	1.1	2.8	7.2	14.8	3.4	1.9
\$3,000-\$3,999	8.2	7.6	4.9	4.7	1.8	4.6	6.1	4.0	1.8	1.6	12.8	9.5	10.3	3.5	4.0
\$4,000-\$4,999	3.4	7.1	5.9	4.1	1.4	2.8	7.2	5.0	2.3	.9	.0	5.0	11.3	5.7	1.7
\$5,000-\$5,999	11.7	8.2	6.2	3.8	2.0	7.5	8.9	2.6	2.6	1.5	17.5	.0	10.2	5.3	2.8
\$6,000-\$6,999	4.3	3.7	6.2	2.6	1.6	5.0	4.8	3.3	2.2	1.6	4.8	2.3	2.8	6.4	1.4
\$7,000-\$7,999	6.6	4.2	5.9	5.9	1.8	3.2	7.1	5.0	2.4	2.0	.0	17.4	4.6	6.8	3.3
\$8,000-\$8,999	2.5	8.4	9.5	4.1	1.3	6.4	4.2	4.0	2.1	1.3	.0	3.6	9.0	14.6	1.4
\$9,000-\$9,999 .....	.0	2.8	4.6	3.5	1.4	3.4	1.4	5.9	3.2	.5	.0	4.2	1.1	6.2	.8
\$10,000-\$10,999 .....	.0	4.2	8.9	4.9	1.6	8.6	5.4	5.4	3.0	.9	.0	4.7	1.3	9.9	3.0
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.0	2.1	5.1	1.3	1.1	1.5	3.1	1.8	1.2	.7	.0	.0	3.3	6.3	.9
\$12,000-\$12,999 .....	.0	3.2	6.2	5.9	2.1	6.3	3.1	5.9	2.9	1.7	.0	.0	2.4	6.6	5.1
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.0	2.0	1.3	3.8	1.5	.6	4.5	1.9	2.9	1.1	.0	.0	2.5	1.6	2.5
\$14,000-\$14,999 .....	.0	1.6	2.2	4.6	.8	.9	4.4	3.8	1.8	.2	.0	.0	1.5	2.0	3.4
\$15,000-\$19,999 .....	.0	.6	6.8	14.9	5.5	6.0	9.7	16.2	9.7	3.1	.0	.0	.0	5.0	10.2
\$20,000-\$24,999 .....	.0	.0	4.2	12.6	8.2	.0	5.8	12.9	14.6	4.3	.0	.0	.0	4.5	10.5
\$25,000-\$29,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	6.2	8.6	.0	.0	3.4	13.4	5.4	.0	.0	.0	.0	9.6
\$30,000-\$34,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	2.4	6.3	.0	.0	2.2	9.2	4.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	4.4
\$35,000-\$39,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	2.0	7.2	.0	.0	.5	7.7	7.2	.0	.0	.0	.0	4.8
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.2	5.9	.0	.0	.0	5.8	5.2	.0	.0	.0	.0	3.4
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.6	.0	.0	.0	2.0	3.2	.0	.0	.0	.0	.8
\$50,000-\$54,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	5.1	.0	.0	.0	1.9	5.5	.0	.0	.0	.0	4.5
\$55,000-\$59,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.6	.0	.0	.0	.3	4.6	.0	.0	.0	.0	.5
\$60,000-\$64,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	3.3	.0	.0	.0	.0	5.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.2
\$65,000-\$69,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.4	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.6	.0	.0	.0	.0	.2
\$70,000-\$74,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.5	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.5	.0	.0	.0	.0	.6
\$75,000-\$99,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	6.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	11.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	3.4
\$100,000-\$149,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	6.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	10.4	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.6
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	.8	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.6	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
\$200,000 or more .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	3.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	4.3	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.4
Median income	\$1,001	\$3,774	\$7,497	\$11,855	\$30,541	\$4,283	\$6,492	\$10,286	\$20,955	\$45,730	\$964	\$2,441	\$3,978	\$8,247	\$18,857

¹ Quintile limits are \$8,792, \$14,224, \$22,255, and \$37,962 for all units; \$17,512, \$25,595, \$36,019, and \$57,808 for married couples; and \$7,126, \$10,168, \$14,373, and

\$22,510 for nonmarried persons.

Table V.B.6.—Income from earnings by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of persons aged 55 or older, 1998

Person earnings (recipients only)	Total			Married			Nonmarried		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Total								
Number (in thousands)	11,909	2,961	5,151	8,662	2,086	3,350	3,247	875	1,802
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	3.6	4.6	10.7	3.7	4.6	9.9	3.2	4.6	12.0
\$1,000-\$1,999	1.1	2.3	4.6	1.1	1.5	4.9	1.0	4.1	4.0
\$2,000-\$2,999	1.5	3.1	4.2	1.4	3.6	4.1	1.9	1.9	4.4
\$3,000-\$3,999	1.4	2.5	4.8	1.4	2.4	4.4	1.2	2.6	5.4
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.4	2.5	4.2	1.3	3.1	4.2	1.5	1.1	4.2
\$5,000-\$5,999	1.4	3.1	4.8	1.4	2.0	4.5	1.4	5.8	5.2
\$6,000-\$6,999	1.6	2.6	3.5	1.7	3.2	3.6	1.3	1.3	3.2
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.5	2.0	4.9	1.1	1.7	4.9	2.4	2.6	5.0
\$8,000-\$8,999	1.7	2.7	4.2	1.6	2.4	3.2	2.0	3.4	6.2
\$9,000-\$9,999	1.5	2.8	2.5	1.5	2.7	2.6	1.6	2.9	2.5
\$10,000-\$10,999	2.4	2.8	4.6	1.9	2.7	4.6	3.5	2.9	4.6
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.0	1.8	1.9	.9	1.7	1.4	1.4	2.2	2.6
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.6	2.7	3.8	2.3	2.6	3.3	3.2	3.0	4.7
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.1	1.7	1.3	2.0
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.7	1.5	2.7	1.5	1.7	2.8	2.2	1.1	2.4
\$15,000-\$15,999	9.2	10.1	7.7	8.7	9.0	8.4	10.4	12.8	6.4
\$20,000-\$24,999	9.1	8.5	5.8	8.6	8.3	5.5	10.4	9.1	6.4
\$25,000-\$29,999	9.1	7.2	4.4	8.4	6.0	4.2	11.1	10.1	4.6
\$30,000-\$34,999	7.4	6.3	2.7	7.1	6.7	3.0	8.2	5.4	2.1
\$35,000-\$39,999	6.7	5.5	2.2	6.4	5.4	2.2	7.7	5.7	2.3
\$40,000-\$44,999	6.1	4.7	2.5	6.7	5.1	3.0	4.4	3.8	1.6
\$45,000-\$49,999	4.0	3.5	.9	4.3	3.9	1.1	3.0	2.4	.4
\$50,000-\$54,999	4.4	3.3	2.1	4.5	3.5	2.1	4.1	2.9	2.2
\$55,000-\$59,999	2.4	1.5	.8	2.5	1.9	1.1	1.9	.4	.2
\$60,000-\$64,999	2.7	2.4	1.3	2.9	2.9	1.4	2.1	1.0	1.1
\$65,000-\$69,999	1.5	.9	.4	1.6	.9	.6	1.0	.7	.1
\$70,000-\$74,999	1.6	1.4	.5	1.8	1.7	.7	1.1	.8	.3
\$75,000-\$99,999	4.8	2.5	2.4	5.4	2.8	2.8	3.0	1.8	1.6
\$100,000-\$149,999	2.8	2.3	2.1	3.3	2.5	2.6	1.3	1.8	1.2
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.3	.1	.2	.4	.1	.3	.0	.3	.0
\$200,000 or more	2.0	1.3	1.3	2.5	1.7	1.3	.8	.4	1.2
Median income	\$26,925	\$19,601	\$9,816	\$28,901	\$20,348	\$10,205	\$24,535	\$18,374	\$9,047

Table V.B.6.—Income from earnings by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of persons aged 55 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Person earnings (recipients only)	Total			Married			Nonmarried		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Men								
Number (in thousands)	6,458	1,599	2,905	5,207	1,280	2,351	1,251	319	554
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	2.8	3.5	8.7	2.7	3.6	8.5	3.1	3.3	9.8
\$1,000-\$1,999 .....	.5	2.1	4.3	.4	1.0	4.7	.9	6.4	2.7
\$2,000-\$2,999	1.1	1.7	3.7	.9	2.1	3.9	2.0	.0	2.7
\$3,000-\$3,999 .....	.9	2.2	4.6	1.0	2.2	3.9	.7	2.1	7.4
\$4,000-\$4,999 .....	.6	1.9	3.0	.6	2.0	3.2	.7	1.6	2.3
\$5,000-\$5,999 .....	.9	2.2	4.8	.9	1.7	4.5	.8	4.3	5.9
\$6,000-\$6,999 .....	.9	1.9	3.5	.9	2.2	3.8	.9	.8	2.4
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.1	1.5	5.1	.8	1.3	5.4	2.4	1.9	4.2
\$8,000-\$8,999	1.0	1.5	3.1	1.1	1.6	2.4	.4	1.1	5.9
\$9,000-\$9,999 .....	.8	2.5	1.5	.8	2.5	1.6	.5	2.1	1.0
\$10,000-\$10,999	1.9	2.5	4.2	1.3	2.0	4.5	4.3	4.5	2.9
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.9	1.3	1.7	.9	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.1	3.1
\$12,000-\$12,999	1.6	2.0	2.7	1.3	1.8	3.1	2.6	2.8	1.1
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.2	1.4	1.5	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.5	2.5
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.2	1.6	2.9	1.1	1.8	3.1	1.4	.8	2.0
\$15,000-\$19,999	7.2	8.4	8.1	6.9	7.8	8.3	8.5	11.0	7.5
\$20,000-\$24,999	7.3	7.5	6.1	6.7	6.5	5.6	9.9	11.5	8.1
\$25,000-\$29,999	8.3	6.6	4.8	7.9	6.1	4.5	9.9	8.9	6.1
\$30,000-\$34,999	7.1	7.5	3.4	7.0	7.8	3.8	7.5	6.2	1.6
\$35,000-\$39,999	7.3	5.6	1.9	7.0	5.5	1.9	8.9	6.0	2.1
\$40,000-\$44,999	7.2	5.3	3.1	7.5	6.0	2.9	5.8	2.4	4.0
\$45,000-\$49,999	5.2	5.3	1.2	5.6	5.0	1.4	3.6	6.1	.6
\$50,000-\$54,999	5.9	4.9	2.5	5.9	5.3	2.1	5.7	3.6	4.1
\$55,000-\$59,999	3.1	1.8	1.2	3.2	2.2	1.5	2.7	.0	.0
\$60,000-\$64,999	4.0	4.1	1.4	4.2	4.7	1.4	2.7	1.6	1.7
\$65,000-\$69,999	2.1	1.6	.7	2.2	1.5	.8	1.5	2.0	.0
\$70,000-\$74,999	2.4	1.9	.9	2.6	2.2	.9	1.6	.8	.6
\$75,000-\$99,999	7.4	4.0	3.7	8.1	4.4	3.9	4.5	2.5	2.5
\$100,000-\$149,999	4.4	3.1	3.4	4.9	3.3	3.6	2.3	2.3	2.5
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.5	.1	.3	.6	.1	.4	.0	.0	.0
\$200,000 or more	3.5	2.4	2.0	4.0	2.8	1.9	1.6	1.0	2.5
Median income	\$35,859	\$27,532	\$12,145	\$37,902	\$29,653	\$12,210	\$28,042	\$20,196	\$11,819

Table V.B.6.—Income from earnings by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of persons aged 55 or older, 1998—Continued

Person earnings (recipients only)	Total			Married			Nonmarried		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	Women								
Number (in thousands)	5,451	1,362	2,247	3,455	806	999	1,996	556	1,248
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$1,000	4.6	5.9	13.1	5.3	6.3	13.3	3.3	5.3	13.0
\$1,000-\$1,999	1.8	2.5	4.9	2.3	2.3	5.3	1.1	2.8	4.6
\$2,000-\$2,999	2.0	4.7	4.8	2.2	5.8	4.5	1.8	3.0	5.1
\$3,000-\$3,999	1.9	2.8	5.0	2.1	2.7	5.6	1.5	2.9	4.5
\$4,000-\$4,999	2.3	3.1	5.7	2.5	4.8	6.7	2.0	.7	5.0
\$5,000-\$5,999	2.0	4.2	4.7	2.1	2.5	4.6	1.8	6.7	4.8
\$6,000-\$6,999	2.4	3.5	3.5	2.9	4.8	3.4	1.5	1.6	3.6
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.9	2.6	4.6	1.7	2.3	3.6	2.4	3.0	5.3
\$8,000-\$8,999	2.6	4.0	5.7	2.4	3.5	4.9	3.0	4.7	6.3
\$9,000-\$9,999	2.5	3.2	3.9	2.6	3.0	4.8	2.2	3.4	3.1
\$10,000-\$10,999	2.9	3.2	5.1	2.9	4.0	4.8	3.0	2.0	5.4
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.2	2.5	2.1	1.0	2.2	1.7	1.5	2.8	2.4
\$12,000-\$12,999	3.8	3.5	5.1	3.8	3.8	3.6	3.6	3.0	6.2
\$13,000-\$13,999	2.2	1.6	1.3	2.3	1.9	.9	2.1	1.2	1.7
\$14,000-\$14,999	2.3	1.5	2.4	2.1	1.6	2.2	2.7	1.3	2.6
\$15,000-\$19,999	11.5	12.0	7.1	11.5	10.8	8.7	11.5	13.8	5.9
\$20,000-\$24,999	11.3	9.7	5.4	11.6	11.1	5.2	10.7	7.8	5.6
\$25,000-\$29,999	10.1	7.9	3.8	9.0	5.9	3.4	11.9	10.8	4.0
\$30,000-\$34,999	7.7	4.9	1.9	7.2	5.0	1.3	8.6	4.9	2.3
\$35,000-\$39,999	6.0	5.4	2.6	5.5	5.3	2.9	6.9	5.5	2.4
\$40,000-\$44,999	4.8	4.0	1.8	5.6	3.7	3.3	3.5	4.6	.6
\$45,000-\$49,999	2.5	1.4	.4	2.4	2.1	.5	2.7	.3	.3
\$50,000-\$54,999	2.7	1.4	1.7	2.5	.7	2.3	3.0	2.4	1.3
\$55,000-\$59,999	1.5	1.1	.3	1.6	1.5	.2	1.3	.6	.3
\$60,000-\$64,999	1.2	.3	1.1	1.0	.0	1.6	1.7	.7	.8
\$65,000-\$69,999 .....	.7	.0	.1	.7	.0	.0	.7	.0	.2
\$70,000-\$74,999 .....	.7	.8	.1	.7	.9	.1	.8	.8	.1
\$75,000-\$99,999	1.6	.8	.8	1.4	.4	.3	2.1	1.4	1.3
\$100,000-\$149,999 .....	.8	1.4	.5	.9	1.3	.2	.7	1.5	.7
\$150,000-\$199,999 .....	.0	.2	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.4	.0
\$200,000 or more .....	.3	.0	.3	.2	.0	.0	.3	.0	.6
Median income	\$19,868	\$15,071	\$8,318	\$19,132	\$13,649	\$8,240	\$21,343	\$16,752	\$8,392

Table V.C.1.—Income from private pensions or annuities by age and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit private pensions (recipients only)	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Number (in thousands)	1,246	909	7,596	798	584	4,085	448	325	3,511
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	1.9	1.1	3.0	1.9	1.3	1.7	1.9	.6	4.5
\$500-\$999	2.4	3.8	5.6	1.7	4.1	3.8	3.6	3.3	7.8
\$1,000-\$1,499	3.8	3.8	6.0	3.5	3.0	4.2	4.3	5.3	8.1
\$1,500-\$1,999	3.5	2.8	5.2	3.2	2.5	3.4	4.1	3.5	7.3
\$2,000-\$2,499	3.7	6.2	5.7	2.4	3.9	3.9	6.0	10.3	7.8
\$2,500-\$2,999	2.5	1.8	3.5	2.4	2.1	2.7	2.5	1.3	4.4
\$3,000-\$3,499	2.9	3.4	3.9	2.9	3.4	3.6	2.9	3.4	4.4
\$3,500-\$3,999	3.3	2.2	4.7	3.2	2.0	4.1	3.4	2.5	5.3
\$4,000-\$4,499	2.6	2.6	3.1	2.8	3.6	2.8	2.4	.7	3.4
\$4,500-\$4,999	3.3	5.3	4.0	3.0	4.2	3.8	3.9	7.3	4.3
\$5,000-\$5,999	2.7	4.3	5.4	1.0	2.5	5.6	5.6	7.4	5.3
\$6,000-\$6,999	3.3	5.2	6.1	4.0	5.3	5.6	2.1	5.1	6.7
\$7,000-\$7,999	3.1	4.5	5.0	2.1	4.4	4.9	4.9	4.7	5.1
\$8,000-\$8,999	2.3	5.4	3.9	2.1	4.9	4.3	2.7	6.2	3.6
\$9,000-\$9,999	2.7	1.2	4.8	2.6	1.2	6.1	3.0	1.2	3.3
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.8	4.3	3.8	4.3	3.5	4.3	3.0	5.8	3.1
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.3	1.7	1.6	1.4	2.5	2.2	1.2	.5	.9
\$12,000-\$12,999	4.8	3.3	3.0	4.8	4.3	3.7	4.7	1.4	2.0
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.6	4.1	1.8	.5	4.3	2.4	.9	3.7	1.2
\$14,000-\$14,999	2.1	3.2	2.3	1.7	3.3	3.0	2.6	2.9	1.5
\$15,000-\$19,999	12.2	8.7	6.4	11.4	7.6	8.9	13.6	10.8	3.5
\$20,000-\$24,999	10.1	7.8	4.3	11.8	10.1	4.8	7.2	3.7	3.6
\$25,000-\$29,999	6.7	2.5	1.9	7.0	3.6	2.5	6.2	.5	1.2
\$30,000-\$34,999	5.7	3.1	1.3	7.6	4.8	2.0	2.2	.0	.6
\$35,000-\$39,999	1.5	1.9	1.1	2.4	2.1	1.8	.0	1.4	.4
\$40,000-\$44,999	1.3	2.1	.3	1.6	2.3	.4	.7	1.8	.1
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	.6	.0	.0	.1
\$50,000 or more	5.8	3.7	2.0	6.6	3.0	2.9	4.3	4.8	.8
Median income	\$11,605	\$8,731	\$5,803	\$13,913	\$10,486	\$7,929	\$8,658	\$6,707	\$4,026

Table V.C.2.—Income from private pensions or annuities by quintiles of total money income¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Unit private pensions (recipients only)	Quintiles of total money income									
	All units					Married couples				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Number (in thousands)	285	925	1,788	2,341	2,257	285	784	1,035	1,045	937
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	16.1	6.3	3.1	1.7	1.2	4.8	2.1	1.6	1.3	1.1
\$500-\$999	19.4	13.6	6.4	3.3	2.4	9.8	5.1	3.7	2.4	2.7
\$1,000-\$1,499	18.7	14.1	8.3	3.5	2.0	17.9	5.7	2.8	3.1	1.7
\$1,500-\$1,999	7.6	15.0	8.1	2.5	1.5	13.2	5.7	2.9	1.9	.7
\$2,000-\$2,499	7.1	13.3	7.7	3.8	2.7	10.9	5.9	3.1	2.4	2.7
\$2,500-\$2,999	6.6	6.7	4.9	2.7	1.6	5.7	5.1	2.3	2.3	.9
\$3,000-\$3,499	3.1	7.8	4.8	4.5	1.2	6.4	7.2	4.0	1.4	1.6
\$3,500-\$3,999	4.0	5.3	7.3	4.5	2.6	4.8	8.1	4.5	2.6	1.9
\$4,000-\$4,499	2.3	3.4	5.0	3.0	1.5	3.1	5.5	2.1	2.2	1.7
\$4,500-\$4,999 .....	.0	4.3	6.7	4.2	2.1	4.9	7.1	3.8	2.9	1.7
\$5,000-\$5,999	5.8	2.0	8.9	5.6	3.9	5.1	10.9	4.4	4.6	3.7
\$6,000-\$6,999	4.1	3.3	9.8	8.1	2.6	4.6	9.0	9.0	2.6	2.7
\$7,000-\$7,999	2.5	1.8	5.3	6.5	4.8	.9	4.4	8.1	2.8	5.3
\$8,000-\$8,999	2.7	.9	3.4	7.0	2.6	2.4	4.2	7.8	3.6	1.8
\$9,000-\$9,999 .....	.0	1.2	4.2	8.0	4.0	3.5	5.6	10.5	5.7	2.7
\$10,000-\$10,999 .....	.0	.3	3.0	5.4	4.6	.0	3.3	6.1	5.4	3.5
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.0	.5	.4	2.5	2.2	.0	.9	2.9	3.1	2.2
\$12,000-\$12,999 .....	.0	.0	.9	5.5	3.5	.0	2.4	5.8	3.3	4.2
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.0	.2	.4	3.6	2.1	1.9	.1	3.6	3.6	1.6
\$14,000-\$14,999 .....	.0	.0	.5	3.1	4.0	.0	.4	3.4	5.5	2.6
\$15,000-\$15,999 .....	.0	.0	.9	6.9	13.6	.2	1.0	5.6	21.0	8.3
\$20,000-\$24,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	3.2	11.1	.0	.3	1.4	9.2	9.1
\$25,000-\$29,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.7	5.6	.0	.0	.4	3.7	6.1
\$30,000-\$34,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.2	4.2	.0	.0	.0	2.3	6.1
\$35,000-\$39,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	3.9	.0	.0	.0	1.4	6.3
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.7
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.1	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.4
\$50,000 or more .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	6.6	.0	.0	.0	.0	12.8
Median income	\$1,351	\$2,022	\$3,937	\$7,427	\$14,378	\$2,250	\$4,481	\$7,739	\$11,835	\$16,814

See footnote at end of table.

Table V.C.2.—Income from private pensions or annuities by quintiles of total money income ¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit private pensions (recipients only)	Quintiles of total money income				
	Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Number (in thousands)	100	293	733	1,201	1,184
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	15.7	15.0	5.1	3.0	2.0
\$500-\$999	23.7	21.5	13.1	5.4	2.2
\$1,000-\$1,499	12.5	23.0	11.7	7.2	2.8
\$1,500-\$1,999	7.6	12.4	14.0	7.7	1.5
\$2,000-\$2,499	7.0	7.3	14.1	8.0	3.9
\$2,500-\$2,999	12.2	.6	8.1	4.3	2.4
\$3,000-\$3,499	1.1	4.5	8.2	4.7	1.9
\$3,500-\$3,999 .....	.0	5.2	5.6	7.2	3.6
\$4,000-\$4,499	2.5	2.0	3.8	5.2	1.7
\$4,500-\$4,999 .....	.0	1.0	5.0	6.1	3.2
\$5,000-\$5,999	6.1	1.3	3.0	8.7	4.0
\$6,000-\$6,999	11.7	.0	3.8	10.6	5.8
\$7,000-\$7,999 .....	.0	2.4	2.3	5.7	7.3
\$8,000-\$8,999 .....	.0	1.8	.6	4.7	5.0
\$9,000-\$9,999 .....	.0	1.3	.6	4.5	4.4
\$10,000-\$10,999 .....	.0	.5	.2	3.3	5.7
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.0	.0	.6	.7	1.6
\$12,000-\$12,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	1.6	4.4
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.3	3.3
\$14,000-\$14,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.5	3.8
\$15,000-\$19,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.8	9.5
\$20,000-\$24,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	10.7
\$25,000-\$29,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	3.5
\$30,000-\$34,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.6
\$35,000-\$39,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.2
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	.3
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	.2
\$50,000 or more .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.4
Median income	\$1,375	\$1,286	\$2,254	\$4,243	\$9,499

¹ Quintile limits are \$8,792, \$14,224, \$22,255, and \$37,962 for all units; \$17,512, \$25,595, \$36,019, and \$57,808 for married couples; and \$7,126, \$10,168, \$14,373, and \$22,510 for nonmarried persons.

Table V.C.3.—Income from private pensions or annuities by age and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit private pensions (recipients only)	Beneficiary units ¹			Nonbeneficiary units		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Number (in thousands)	273	699	7,284	973	210	312
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	2.3	.8	3.0	1.8	2.0	2.0
\$500-\$999 .....	.8	3.7	5.7	2.8	4.1	3.9
\$1,000-\$1,499	5.5	3.8	6.1	3.4	3.9	3.5
\$1,500-\$1,999	6.1	3.4	5.3	2.8	1.2	2.3
\$2,000-\$2,499	3.3	6.9	5.6	3.8	3.8	8.8
\$2,500-\$2,999	4.7	1.0	3.4	1.8	4.4	6.6
\$3,000-\$3,499	1.8	2.4	4.1	3.2	6.8	.7
\$3,500-\$3,999	3.0	2.0	4.7	3.4	2.7	2.6
\$4,000-\$4,499	4.0	2.3	3.1	2.3	3.3	1.8
\$4,500-\$4,999	6.5	6.9	4.1	2.4	.0	2.9
\$5,000-\$5,999	3.0	3.3	5.5	2.6	7.5	3.5
\$6,000-\$6,999	10.4	5.1	6.1	1.3	5.7	6.5
\$7,000-\$7,999	2.3	4.5	5.0	3.4	4.4	3.7
\$8,000-\$8,999	2.9	6.2	3.8	2.1	2.6	6.8
\$9,000-\$9,999	2.3	1.6	4.8	2.9	.0	5.2
\$10,000-\$10,999	4.1	4.9	3.9	3.7	2.5	.4
\$11,000-\$11,999	2.2	2.3	1.6	1.1	.0	2.0
\$12,000-\$12,999	5.9	2.5	3.1	4.5	5.9	.0
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.6	5.4	1.8	.6	.0	3.1
\$14,000-\$14,999 .....	.7	3.3	2.3	2.4	2.8	2.1
\$15,000-\$19,999	11.6	8.9	6.4	12.4	8.1	6.8
\$20,000-\$24,999	7.5	6.4	4.1	10.9	12.4	9.3
\$25,000-\$29,999 .....	.0	2.0	1.7	8.6	4.4	5.2
\$30,000-\$34,999	5.4	3.4	1.2	5.7	2.2	3.8
\$35,000-\$39,999	1.1	2.5	1.1	1.7	.0	1.5
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.0	.7	.3	1.6	6.9	.0
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.0	.0	.2	.0	.0	3.0
\$50,000 or more	2.0	4.0	2.0	6.9	2.6	1.9
Median income	\$6,609	\$8,791	\$5,749	\$13,563	\$8,301	\$7,980

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

Table V.C.4.—Income from government employee pensions by age and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit government employee pensions (recipients only) ¹	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Number (in thousands)	869	457	3,346	600	314	1,855	269	142	1,491
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499 .....	.7	.3	1.8	.4	.0	1.7	1.3	1.0	2.1
\$500-\$999 .....	.0	.0	2.1	.1	.0	2.0	.0	.0	2.2
\$1,000-\$1,499	1.7	4.4	2.3	1.4	2.6	1.8	2.3	8.4	2.9
\$1,500-\$1,999	1.7	3.1	1.7	.8	1.0	1.5	3.8	7.8	2.1
\$2,000-\$2,499 .....	.9	1.0	1.9	.1	1.5	.9	2.7	.0	3.1
\$2,500-\$2,999 .....	.0	.7	1.3	.0	.0	.6	.0	2.3	2.1
\$3,000-\$3,999	1.2	1.1	5.0	.5	1.0	4.6	2.7	1.3	5.5
\$4,000-\$4,999	3.2	2.1	4.4	2.9	.0	3.1	4.0	6.9	6.0
\$5,000-\$5,999	1.1	2.5	2.7	.9	2.3	2.1	1.5	2.8	3.6
\$6,000-\$6,999	4.4	4.1	3.4	4.9	3.1	2.4	3.4	6.3	4.7
\$7,000-\$7,999	1.3	.9	3.3	1.2	.3	2.5	1.6	2.4	4.4
\$8,000-\$8,999	2.3	4.3	3.5	1.5	4.6	2.0	4.1	3.7	5.4
\$9,000-\$9,999	3.7	3.5	5.4	2.4	2.7	4.1	6.8	5.3	7.0
\$10,000-\$10,999	4.6	3.5	3.7	4.5	3.2	4.2	4.9	4.2	3.1
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.2	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.0	1.5	.0	3.5	1.9
\$12,000-\$12,999	4.1	5.6	4.3	3.8	2.8	4.1	4.7	11.9	4.6
\$13,000-\$13,999	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.5	1.6	4.3	5.1	8.8	3.3
\$14,000-\$14,999	6.5	1.0	2.7	7.0	1.1	1.8	5.6	.9	3.9
\$15,000-\$19,999	13.2	14.5	12.1	14.8	18.1	13.9	9.4	6.5	9.8
\$20,000-\$24,999	12.8	15.3	10.0	14.4	19.0	11.4	9.4	7.0	8.2
\$25,000-\$29,999	7.7	5.1	5.9	5.7	4.5	7.2	12.0	6.6	4.3
\$30,000-\$34,999	5.9	4.4	5.6	4.9	5.3	5.9	8.1	2.3	5.2
\$35,000-\$39,999	4.4	4.5	3.5	5.3	6.5	4.6	2.3	.0	2.1
\$40,000-\$44,999	5.5	3.0	2.0	6.8	4.2	3.1	2.6	.3	.6
\$45,000-\$49,999	1.1	.4	1.0	1.6	.6	1.7	.0	.0	.2
\$50,000 or more	6.7	8.9	4.8	8.9	12.9	7.0	1.8	.0	1.9
Median income	\$17,384	\$16,276	\$13,132	\$18,713	\$20,676	\$16,706	\$14,398	\$10,039	\$9,927

¹ Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

Table V.C.5—Income from government employee pensions by quintiles of total money income ¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Unit government employee pensions (recipients only) ²	Quintiles of total money income									
	All units					Married couples				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Number (in thousands)	88	250	571	1,053	1,385	75	223	415	524	618
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	4.4	3.6	1.6	2.1	1.3	1.2	.0	2.0	2.0	1.8
\$500-\$999	12.0	8.3	3.1	1.5	.4	13.1	6.6	1.3	.6	.8
\$1,000-\$1,499	30.4	6.3	2.1	.8	1.0	10.1	5.7	.9	1.3	.6
\$1,500-\$1,999	11.4	4.4	2.1	1.2	.9	7.9	3.5	1.3	1.1	.4
\$2,000-\$2,499	4.6	12.0	1.0	1.3	.7	2.5	.0	1.3	1.2	.5
\$2,500-\$2,999	8.2	4.0	2.5	.8	.3	.0	1.2	1.4	.6	.0
\$3,000-\$3,999	14.8	10.3	8.2	5.6	1.7	14.2	11.2	6.4	2.8	1.4
\$4,000-\$4,999	5.7	14.5	7.6	3.3	2.0	19.3	5.0	4.3	1.8	.8
\$5,000-\$5,999	1.4	4.3	6.5	2.8	1.0	9.4	5.9	2.6	1.2	.3
\$6,000-\$6,999	4.5	7.9	6.4	2.7	1.9	7.5	3.3	3.4	2.4	.9
\$7,000-\$7,999 .....	.0	5.5	7.8	3.3	1.3	5.9	4.5	2.7	1.6	1.9
\$8,000-\$8,999 .....	.0	8.3	7.5	2.8	1.8	.0	2.0	2.6	2.2	1.8
\$9,000-\$9,999 .....	.0	4.0	11.8	7.4	1.8	.0	11.4	7.1	3.2	.8
\$10,000-\$10,999 .....	.0	2.5	5.1	3.6	3.7	2.4	3.1	5.2	4.6	3.8
\$11,000-\$11,999 .....	.0	.0	2.1	3.1	.8	.0	3.2	2.5	1.2	.6
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.7	3.8	5.0	5.5	3.3	5.6	7.4	6.0	2.5	2.9
\$13,000-\$13,999 .....	.0	.4	4.9	5.4	3.0	.0	8.0	5.7	3.5	3.2
\$14,000-\$14,999 .....	.0	.0	6.0	3.5	1.4	1.0	2.7	3.1	1.0	1.2
\$15,000-\$19,999 .....	.0	.0	6.6	18.4	12.5	.0	9.9	20.8	14.4	12.0
\$20,000-\$24,999 .....	.0	.0	2.1	14.9	11.9	.0	5.4	13.5	14.3	11.2
\$25,000-\$29,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	5.1	10.3	.0	.0	3.4	14.8	6.8
\$30,000-\$34,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	4.9	9.7	.0	.0	2.7	9.6	7.6
\$35,000-\$39,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	8.5	.0	.0	.0	7.0	7.8
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	4.9	.0	.0	.0	4.1	5.9
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.5	.0	.0	.0	1.2	4.0
\$50,000 or more .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	11.5	.0	.0	.0	.0	21.1
Median income	\$1,925	\$4,021	\$8,116	\$13,476	\$23,880	\$4,154	\$8,957	\$12,622	\$20,161	\$27,973

See footnotes at end of table.

Table V.C.5—Income from government employee pensions by quintiles of total money income ¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit government employee pensions (recipients only) ²	Quintiles of total money income				
	Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Number (in thousands)	49	94	159	438	752
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	(³)	2.1	5.6	1.9	1.3
\$500-\$999	(³)	14.0	2.2	1.8	.5
\$1,000-\$1,499	(³)	20.8	1.7	.7	.5
\$1,500-\$1,999	(³)	4.6	2.3	1.2	1.3
\$2,000-\$2,499	(³)	12.3	11.7	1.3	1.1
\$2,500-\$2,999	(³)	12.5	4.5	2.2	.4
\$3,000-\$3,999	(³)	10.8	10.3	6.5	2.6
\$4,000-\$4,999	(³)	3.1	19.0	7.0	2.8
\$5,000-\$5,999	(³)	4.9	2.9	4.9	2.8
\$6,000-\$6,999	(³)	8.5	7.4	6.4	2.4
\$7,000-\$7,999	(³)	4.8	4.7	9.1	1.8
\$8,000-\$8,999	(³)	.0	13.0	9.5	2.3
\$9,000-\$9,999	(³)	1.6	5.4	12.3	5.4
\$10,000-\$10,999	(³)	.0	3.9	5.7	2.0
\$11,000-\$11,999	(³)	.0	.0	2.1	2.5
\$12,000-\$12,999	(³)	.0	4.7	4.8	5.1
\$13,000-\$13,999	(³)	.0	.7	5.0	3.4
\$14,000-\$14,999	(³)	.0	.0	7.5	3.4
\$15,000-\$19,999	(³)	.0	.0	7.9	14.9
\$20,000-\$24,999	(³)	.0	.0	2.3	14.9
\$25,000-\$29,999	(³)	.0	.0	.0	8.4
\$30,000-\$34,999	(³)	.0	.0	.0	10.4
\$35,000-\$39,999	(³)	.0	.0	.0	4.3
\$40,000-\$44,999	(³)	.0	.0	.0	1.2
\$45,000-\$49,999	(³)	.0	.0	.0	.5
\$50,000 or more	(³)	.0	.0	.0	3.8
Median income	(³)	\$2,438	\$4,760	\$8,755	\$17,482

¹ Quintile limits are \$8,792, \$14,224, \$22,255, and \$37,962 for all units; \$17,512, \$25,595, \$36,019, and \$57,808 for married couples; and \$7,126, \$10,168, \$14,373, and \$22,510 for nonmarried persons.

² Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

³ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

Table V.C.6.—Income from government employee pensions by age and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit government employee pensions (recipients only) ¹	Beneficiary units ²			Nonbeneficiary units		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Number (in thousands)	99	277	3,010	770	179	337
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499 .....	.3	.5	2.1	.7	.0	.0
\$500-\$999 .....	.0	.0	2.0	.1	.0	2.8
\$1,000-\$1,499 .....	.0	4.8	2.2	1.9	3.8	3.4
\$1,500-\$1,999	3.4	4.0	1.9	1.5	1.8	.0
\$2,000-\$2,499	2.7	1.2	1.9	.6	.8	1.3
\$2,500-\$2,999 .....	.0	.0	1.4	.0	1.8	.0
\$3,000-\$3,999	2.4	1.9	5.4	1.0	.0	1.6
\$4,000-\$4,999	4.1	2.8	4.8	3.1	1.1	.6
\$5,000-\$5,999 .....	.5	1.3	2.9	1.2	4.3	1.2
\$6,000-\$6,999	9.8	5.7	3.7	3.7	1.6	1.3
\$7,000-\$7,999	4.2	1.6	3.5	.9	.0	1.7
\$8,000-\$8,999	2.3	5.4	3.9	2.3	2.7	.0
\$9,000-\$9,999	7.4	4.6	5.6	3.3	1.9	3.7
\$10,000-\$10,999	6.3	4.4	3.9	4.4	2.2	1.7
\$11,000-\$11,999	5.0	2.8	1.8	.8	.2	.0
\$12,000-\$12,999	1.7	7.0	4.5	4.4	3.6	2.7
\$13,000-\$13,999	5.8	1.1	3.9	3.8	8.1	3.1
\$14,000-\$14,999	5.0	1.7	2.4	6.7	.0	5.5
\$15,000-\$19,999	11.9	12.1	12.2	13.3	18.2	11.3
\$20,000-\$24,999	9.9	16.4	9.7	13.2	13.5	12.8
\$25,000-\$29,999	8.7	4.3	5.5	7.5	6.4	9.0
\$30,000-\$34,999	1.7	3.9	4.4	6.4	5.0	15.7
\$35,000-\$39,999	2.1	4.0	3.4	4.7	5.3	4.8
\$40,000-\$44,999	1.5	.9	1.7	6.0	6.1	5.3
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.0	.7	.9	1.2	.0	2.0
\$50,000 or more	2.9	7.2	4.3	7.2	11.5	8.7
Median income	\$12,209	\$14,770	\$12,227	\$18,083	\$19,039	\$23,083

¹ Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits,

dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

Table V.C.7.—Income from private pensions or annuities by sex and marital status: Percentage distribution of persons aged 65 or older, 1998

Person private pensions (recipients only)	Total	Men			Women		
		Total	Married	Nonmarried	Total	Married	Nonmarried
Number (in thousands)	8,160	4,743	3,647	1,096	3,417	1,002	2,415
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	3.3	1.8	1.7	2.3	5.5	5.6	5.5
\$500-\$999	6.4	4.2	3.6	6.1	9.4	11.5	8.5
\$1,000-\$1,499	6.7	4.2	4.3	3.9	10.0	10.0	10.1
\$1,500-\$1,999	5.4	3.6	3.7	3.1	7.9	4.8	9.2
\$2,000-\$2,499	6.3	4.6	3.9	6.8	8.7	9.9	8.2
\$2,500-\$2,999	3.5	2.9	2.4	4.8	4.3	4.5	4.2
\$3,000-\$3,499	3.9	4.0	3.8	4.6	3.9	2.8	4.3
\$3,500-\$3,999	4.9	4.0	4.2	3.3	6.1	5.9	6.2
\$4,000-\$4,499	2.9	3.1	2.9	3.6	2.7	1.5	3.3
\$4,500-\$4,999	4.2	4.5	4.2	5.3	3.9	4.0	3.8
\$5,000-\$5,999	5.5	6.4	6.3	6.4	4.4	3.5	4.7
\$6,000-\$6,999	6.3	6.7	6.3	8.3	5.6	4.8	6.0
\$7,000-\$7,999	5.2	5.3	5.2	5.5	5.0	5.4	4.9
\$8,000-\$8,999	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	4.5	3.5
\$9,000-\$9,999	4.7	5.9	6.5	4.0	3.0	3.0	2.9
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.8	4.7	4.8	4.4	2.5	2.5	2.5
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.3	1.6	1.8	1.0	.9	1.1	.8
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.8	3.6	3.9	2.6	1.7	1.6	1.8
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.7	2.4	2.4	2.3	.8	1.0	.7
\$14,000-\$14,999	2.1	2.9	3.1	2.2	1.0	.5	1.1
\$15,000-\$19,999	5.5	7.4	7.9	5.5	3.0	4.1	2.6
\$20,000-\$24,999	3.9	4.5	4.4	4.7	3.0	2.8	3.1
\$25,000-\$29,999	1.7	2.0	2.2	1.6	1.1	1.5	1.0
\$30,000-\$34,999	1.1	1.4	1.5	1.4	.6	1.5	.1
\$35,000-\$39,999	1.0	1.4	1.5	.8	.4	.9	.2
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.3	.4	.5	.2	.0	.0	.0
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.2	.3	.4	.0	.1	.0	.1
\$50,000 or more	1.6	2.4	2.6	1.6	.6	.9	.5
Median income	\$5,395	\$7,020	\$7,486	\$5,806	\$3,486	\$3,528	\$3,468

Table V.C.8.—Income from private pensions or annuities by age and sex: Percentage distribution of persons aged 65 or older, 1998

Person private pensions (recipients only)	Total					Men					Women				
	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
Number (in thousands)	2,254	2,202	1,878	1,190	636	1,433	1,345	1,038	634	293	821	857	840	556	343
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	3.4	2.8	3.3	2.9	6.3	2.4	1.5	1.1	1.3	4.0	5.1	4.7	6.1	4.7	8.3
\$500-\$999	6.0	5.9	6.9	5.3	9.6	3.7	4.7	3.1	4.2	8.1	10.0	7.9	11.5	6.6	11.0
\$1,000-\$1,499	4.8	6.4	7.0	9.6	7.6	3.3	3.6	4.4	7.1	4.8	7.5	10.8	10.2	12.4	9.9
\$1,500-\$1,999	3.1	3.5	6.7	7.8	11.7	2.4	2.8	5.5	2.9	8.2	4.5	4.7	8.1	13.5	14.6
\$2,000-\$2,499	5.3	5.9	6.2	8.1	8.2	3.9	4.3	3.6	6.0	9.0	7.7	8.3	9.4	10.6	7.5
\$2,500-\$2,999	3.0	2.5	4.8	3.0	5.7	2.9	1.3	4.1	1.8	8.7	3.2	4.4	5.7	4.2	3.1
\$3,000-\$3,499	3.8	3.3	4.7	4.9	2.8	3.2	4.3	5.0	4.8	1.4	4.8	1.8	4.3	5.0	4.0
\$3,500-\$3,999	4.3	4.5	4.6	7.0	5.1	2.4	4.8	3.5	7.2	3.7	7.8	4.0	6.1	6.7	6.4
\$4,000-\$4,499	2.8	2.2	2.8	4.4	3.4	2.7	2.0	3.4	5.6	3.1	3.0	2.5	2.1	3.1	3.6
\$4,500-\$4,999	3.8	3.6	4.9	5.5	3.8	3.9	3.7	5.4	6.3	3.9	3.6	3.4	4.3	4.6	3.7
\$5,000-\$5,999	4.7	6.3	6.3	5.0	4.6	5.4	6.9	7.3	6.2	5.6	3.5	5.3	5.1	3.6	3.7
\$6,000-\$6,999	6.0	6.9	6.7	5.0	6.1	6.0	6.3	7.9	6.0	9.8	6.0	7.9	5.2	3.9	3.0
\$7,000-\$7,999	5.9	4.8	4.8	6.1	3.4	5.0	4.7	5.8	6.7	3.8	7.4	4.8	3.5	5.4	3.0
\$8,000-\$8,999	3.6	4.7	3.0	3.9	3.6	3.8	3.6	3.8	4.0	4.1	3.4	6.4	2.1	3.7	3.2
\$9,000-\$9,999	4.9	4.7	4.8	4.9	2.9	6.1	5.5	5.9	7.7	3.2	2.8	3.5	3.5	1.8	2.7
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.8	4.8	4.3	1.6	2.6	4.2	5.7	6.3	2.2	2.2	3.0	3.4	2.0	1.0	2.8
\$11,000-\$11,999	2.4	1.0	.6	.9	1.7	3.2	1.2	.4	.9	2.1	1.0	.8	.8	.8	1.4
\$12,000-\$12,999	3.3	3.1	2.6	2.8	.7	4.3	4.2	3.3	3.3	.0	1.7	1.5	1.7	2.3	1.4
\$13,000-\$13,999	2.0	2.2	1.2	1.4	1.1	2.8	2.8	1.2	2.7	2.1	.8	1.1	1.3	.0	.3
\$14,000-\$14,999	2.4	2.3	2.2	1.2	1.0	3.4	3.0	3.0	2.3	.0	.7	1.2	1.1	.0	1.9
\$15,000-\$19,999	7.9	6.7	3.4	3.1	4.0	9.5	8.5	4.9	4.8	6.3	5.0	4.0	1.6	1.1	2.2
\$20,000-\$24,999	5.7	4.2	2.9	2.3	2.1	6.4	5.0	3.3	2.3	2.4	4.5	2.9	2.5	2.4	1.9
\$25,000-\$29,999	2.5	1.4	1.4	1.5	.8	2.8	1.8	2.1	1.0	1.7	2.1	.9	.4	2.0	.0
\$30,000-\$34,999	1.3	1.2	1.0	.8	.3	2.1	1.2	1.6	.8	.0	.0	1.2	.4	.7	.5
\$35,000-\$39,999 .....	.7	2.0	.5	.4	.5	1.2	2.5	.6	.7	1.1	.0	1.3	.3	.0	.0
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.2	.5	.1	.2	.0	.4	.8	.3	.3	.0	.0	.1	.0	.0	.0
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.3	.3	.0	.0	.0	.5	.4	.0	.0	.0	.0	.2	.0	.0	.0
\$50,000 or more	1.7	2.1	2.1	.5	.4	2.3	2.8	3.4	.9	.8	.8	1.0	.5	.0	.0
Median income	\$6,809	\$6,092	\$4,860	\$4,131	\$3,071	\$8,559	\$7,824	\$6,269	\$5,545	\$4,418	\$3,942	\$4,634	\$2,778	\$2,874	\$2,471

Table V.C.9.—Income from government employee pensions ¹ by sex and marital status: Percentage distribution of persons aged 65 or older, 1998

Person government employee pensions (recipients only)	Total	Men			Women		
		Total	Married	Nonmarried	Total	Married	Nonmarried
Number (in thousands)	3,436	1,795	1,378	417	1,641	566	1,074
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	1.9	1.0	.7	1.9	3.0	4.5	2.1
\$500-\$999	2.0	.7	.8	.2	3.4	4.3	3.0
\$1,000-\$1,499	2.4	1.5	1.6	1.5	3.3	3.1	3.4
\$1,500-\$1,999	1.6	.6	.8	.0	2.6	2.0	2.9
\$2,000-\$2,499	1.7	.7	.4	1.7	2.8	1.4	3.6
\$2,500-\$2,999	1.4	.3	.3	.2	2.6	2.1	2.8
\$3,000-\$3,999	5.6	3.5	3.3	4.1	7.9	11.5	6.0
\$4,000-\$4,999	4.4	2.7	2.7	2.9	6.3	4.7	7.2
\$5,000-\$5,999	2.9	1.6	1.5	1.9	4.4	4.8	4.2
\$6,000-\$6,999	3.3	2.1	2.1	2.1	4.5	2.2	5.7
\$7,000-\$7,999	3.7	2.4	2.3	2.9	5.2	5.6	5.0
\$8,000-\$8,999	3.7	3.1	2.4	5.4	4.3	2.4	5.3
\$9,000-\$9,999	5.4	3.9	3.5	4.9	7.0	5.4	7.8
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.8	2.9	3.1	2.2	4.8	7.5	3.4
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.7	1.5	1.9	.4	1.9	.8	2.5
\$12,000-\$12,999	4.5	4.8	4.6	5.4	4.2	4.0	4.3
\$13,000-\$13,999	3.9	4.4	4.5	4.1	3.3	4.0	3.0
\$14,000-\$14,999	3.0	3.6	2.7	6.8	2.4	1.6	2.8
\$15,000-\$19,999	11.8	14.2	14.5	13.1	9.2	10.6	8.5
\$20,000-\$24,999	10.7	13.9	14.2	12.9	7.3	9.0	6.4
\$25,000-\$29,999	6.1	7.9	8.8	5.0	4.2	4.6	4.0
\$30,000-\$34,999	5.6	8.9	7.9	11.9	1.9	.6	2.6
\$35,000-\$39,999	2.8	3.8	4.2	2.3	1.6	.8	2.1
\$40,000-\$44,999	1.7	2.7	3.0	1.6	.5	1.1	.2
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.6	1.1	1.2	.8	.1	.2	.0
\$50,000 or more	3.9	6.3	7.1	3.8	1.2	1.3	1.2
Median income	\$12,723	\$17,990	\$18,589	\$15,678	\$8,860	\$9,397	\$8,656

¹ Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

Table V.C.10.—Income from employer pensions ¹ by sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of persons aged 65 or older, 1998

Total	Total	Beneficiaries ²			Nonbeneficiaries		
		Total	Married	Nonmarried	Total	Married	Nonmarried
Number (in thousands)	11,219	10,395	5,893	4,502	824	497	327
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	2.4	2.6	2.1	3.3	.4	.2	.6
\$500-\$999	4.9	5.0	4.0	6.3	4.0	5.0	2.5
\$1,000-\$1,499	5.4	5.7	4.7	6.9	2.3	1.4	3.6
\$1,500-\$1,999	4.3	4.6	3.4	6.2	.9	.7	1.2
\$2,000-\$2,499	4.9	5.0	3.9	6.5	3.7	5.2	1.5
\$2,500-\$2,999	2.8	2.7	2.1	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.7
\$3,000-\$3,999	7.7	8.1	7.7	8.7	2.5	1.9	3.4
\$4,000-\$4,999	6.2	6.5	5.9	7.2	2.3	2.4	2.2
\$5,000-\$5,999	4.8	5.1	5.2	4.9	1.6	1.0	2.6
\$6,000-\$6,999	5.3	5.5	5.1	6.0	3.5	1.5	6.6
\$7,000-\$7,999	4.8	5.1	5.1	5.0	1.8	.6	3.5
\$8,000-\$8,999	3.8	3.9	3.5	4.3	2.8	3.0	2.4
\$9,000-\$9,999	4.9	4.9	5.2	4.5	4.2	4.8	3.4
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.7	3.9	4.3	3.3	1.9	2.1	1.6
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.3	2.4	2.2	2.7
\$12,000-\$12,999	3.2	3.3	3.7	2.7	2.2	1.7	2.8
\$13,000-\$13,999	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.0	3.6	5.4	.9
\$14,000-\$14,999	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.3	3.7	4.0	3.2
\$15,000-\$19,999	7.5	7.4	8.8	5.5	9.8	10.9	8.0
\$20,000-\$24,999	6.2	5.7	6.5	4.6	12.4	11.3	14.1
\$25,000-\$29,999	3.0	2.6	3.2	1.8	8.3	8.5	8.0
\$30,000-\$34,999	2.2	1.8	2.4	1.0	8.1	6.9	10.0
\$35,000-\$39,999	1.7	1.4	1.8	1.0	4.6	5.3	3.5
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.8	.6	1.0	.1	2.6	3.0	1.9
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.4	.3	.4	.1	1.3	2.2	.0
\$50,000 or more	2.6	2.4	3.4	1.0	5.7	5.4	6.1
Median income	\$7,274	\$6,796	\$8,143	\$5,289	\$16,986	\$16,981	\$16,995

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Table V.C.10.—Income from employer pensions ¹ by sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of persons aged 65 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Men	Total	Beneficiaries ²			Nonbeneficiaries		
		Total	Married	Nonmarried	Total	Married	Nonmarried
Number (in thousands)	6,326	5,821	4,485	1,336	505	384	121
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	1.2	1.3	1.1	1.7	.2	.3	.0
\$500-\$999	3.1	3.2	2.6	4.9	2.0	2.3	1.0
\$1,000-\$1,499	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.4	1.9	1.8	2.1
\$1,500-\$1,999	2.8	3.0	3.1	2.5	.7	.9	.0
\$2,000-\$2,499	3.4	3.4	2.8	5.3	4.4	5.8	.0
\$2,500-\$2,999	2.2	2.0	1.7	3.0	4.6	2.9	10.1
\$3,000-\$3,999	6.5	7.1	7.0	7.3	.6	.5	.7
\$4,000-\$4,999	6.0	6.4	6.1	7.3	1.8	2.4	.0
\$5,000-\$5,999	5.1	5.5	5.5	5.2	1.0	.9	1.5
\$6,000-\$6,999	5.6	5.9	5.6	7.0	2.6	.6	8.8
\$7,000-\$7,999	4.6	4.8	4.9	4.6	2.1	.7	6.2
\$8,000-\$8,999	3.6	3.5	3.3	4.0	4.5	3.9	6.5
\$9,000-\$9,999	5.4	5.4	5.7	4.5	5.2	4.8	6.6
\$10,000-\$10,999	4.1	4.4	4.5	4.1	.6	.9	.0
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.7	1.6	1.9	.9	2.2	2.9	.0
\$12,000-\$12,999	3.8	4.1	4.2	3.4	.4	.6	.0
\$13,000-\$13,999	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.0	3.8	5.0	.0
\$14,000-\$14,999	3.0	2.8	2.6	3.6	4.2	4.4	3.3
\$15,000-\$19,999	9.2	9.2	9.6	8.0	9.2	11.3	2.5
\$20,000-\$24,999	7.4	7.0	7.1	6.6	12.1	10.3	17.9
\$25,000-\$29,999	3.7	3.2	3.5	2.2	9.7	9.7	9.7
\$30,000-\$34,999	3.2	2.7	2.7	2.7	9.1	8.3	11.6
\$35,000-\$39,999	2.3	2.1	2.3	1.6	4.3	5.6	.3
\$40,000-\$44,999	1.3	1.1	1.3	.4	3.7	3.9	3.3
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.6	.4	.5	.3	2.2	2.8	.0
\$50,000 or more	3.9	3.6	4.0	2.4	6.9	6.5	7.9
Median income	\$9,416	\$8,988	\$9,385	\$7,511	\$19,222	\$18,980	\$20,531

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Table V.C.10.—Income from employer pensions ¹ by sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of persons aged 65 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Women

	Total	Beneficiaries ²			Nonbeneficiaries		
		Total	Married	Nonmarried	Total	Married	Nonmarried
Number (in thousands)	4,893	4,573	1,408	3,166	319	113	206
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$499	4.1	4.3	5.1	4.0	.6	.0	.9
\$500-\$999	7.4	7.4	8.5	6.8	7.2	14.2	3.4
\$1,000-\$1,499	7.9	8.2	7.9	8.4	2.9	.0	4.5
\$1,500-\$1,999	6.3	6.6	4.2	7.7	1.2	.0	1.8
\$2,000-\$2,499	6.8	7.1	7.5	7.0	2.6	3.1	2.3
\$2,500-\$2,999	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.7	1.6	4.4	.0
\$3,000-\$3,999	9.2	9.5	9.9	9.3	5.7	6.7	5.1
\$4,000-\$4,999	6.4	6.6	5.4	7.2	3.2	2.4	3.6
\$5,000-\$5,999	4.4	4.6	4.1	4.8	2.6	1.4	3.2
\$6,000-\$6,999	5.0	5.0	3.8	5.5	5.0	4.4	5.4
\$7,000-\$7,999	5.2	5.4	6.0	5.2	1.3	.0	2.0
\$8,000-\$8,999	4.1	4.4	4.2	4.4	.0	.0	.0
\$9,000-\$9,999	4.2	4.3	3.8	4.6	2.7	4.7	1.5
\$10,000-\$10,999	3.3	3.2	3.8	2.9	4.0	6.5	2.6
\$11,000-\$11,999	1.4	1.3	1.1	1.4	2.8	.0	4.3
\$12,000-\$12,999	2.5	2.4	2.1	2.5	4.9	5.7	4.5
\$13,000-\$13,999	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	3.5	7.1	1.5
\$14,000-\$14,999	1.5	1.4	.7	1.7	3.0	2.7	3.1
\$15,000-\$19,999	5.4	5.0	6.4	4.4	10.7	9.8	11.1
\$20,000-\$24,999	4.6	4.1	4.6	3.8	12.9	14.6	11.9
\$25,000-\$29,999	2.1	1.8	2.2	1.7	6.0	4.3	7.0
\$30,000-\$34,999	1.0	.6	1.2	.3	6.6	2.1	9.0
\$35,000-\$39,999 .....	.9	.6	.3	.7	4.9	4.2	5.3
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.1	.0	.0	.0	.7	.0	1.1
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.1	.1	.3	.1	.0	.0	.0
\$50,000 or more	1.0	.8	1.7	.4	3.9	1.7	5.0
Median income	\$4,815	\$4,570	\$4,748	\$4,470	\$13,614	\$11,872	\$16,535

¹ Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions, and private pensions or annuities.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits,

dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

Table V.D.1.—Income from assets by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit asset income (recipients only)	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	Total			Men			Women		
							55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
Number (in thousands)	7,505	2,427	15,493	5,132	1,583	7,612	2,374	844	7,882	914	280	1,948	1,460	564	5,934
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$250	25.6	27.1	22.0	23.4	22.3	19.5	30.4	35.9	24.4	25.2	35.6	23.7	33.7	36.1	24.7
\$250-\$499	7.4	8.7	7.0	7.3	9.2	5.4	7.8	7.7	8.5	7.6	5.0	7.6	8.0	9.0	8.8
\$500-\$749	5.4	5.7	5.2	5.0	6.9	4.6	6.4	3.4	5.8	9.2	2.6	5.3	4.6	3.8	6.0
\$750-\$999	3.5	3.9	3.5	3.8	3.2	3.5	2.7	5.2	3.5	2.1	4.4	2.5	3.1	5.7	3.8
\$1,000-\$1,499	6.5	5.1	6.5	6.6	5.3	6.1	6.2	4.7	6.7	5.4	3.8	7.0	6.8	5.1	6.7
\$1,500-\$1,999	4.6	3.6	4.4	4.7	3.7	4.5	4.2	3.2	4.4	3.2	4.8	4.0	4.8	2.5	4.5
\$2,000-\$2,499	5.5	4.8	3.9	5.7	4.6	4.2	5.0	5.2	3.6	6.4	2.8	3.5	4.1	6.4	3.6
\$2,500-\$2,999	2.4	2.6	3.0	2.5	2.8	2.8	2.3	2.3	3.2	2.4	.0	2.1	2.3	3.4	3.6
\$3,000-\$3,999	4.6	4.4	6.7	4.8	4.8	5.8	4.2	3.5	7.5	3.9	3.2	7.4	4.4	3.6	7.6
\$4,000-\$4,999	4.3	3.9	3.8	4.3	4.1	4.0	4.2	3.6	3.6	4.9	2.5	4.6	3.8	4.2	3.3
\$5,000-\$9,999	11.1	9.6	13.1	12.2	9.2	14.0	8.6	10.3	12.2	8.7	16.7	10.0	8.6	7.2	13.0
\$10,000-\$14,999	6.0	6.7	6.0	6.0	7.9	6.7	6.0	4.5	5.4	6.3	7.7	6.5	5.9	3.0	5.0
\$15,000-\$19,999	2.9	3.5	3.5	3.3	4.0	3.5	2.0	2.7	3.6	3.6	3.2	3.5	1.0	2.4	3.6
\$20,000-\$24,999	2.7	2.1	2.2	3.0	2.2	2.8	1.9	1.9	1.6	1.8	2.7	2.3	2.0	1.5	1.3
\$25,000-\$29,999	1.2	.9	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.6	1.0	.4	.5	.3	.4	.9	1.5	.4	.4
\$30,000-\$34,999	1.7	2.3	2.5	1.3	2.4	3.2	2.7	2.1	1.8	3.8	1.2	2.9	2.0	2.5	1.4
\$35,000-\$39,999	1.1	1.2	1.2	.7	1.2	1.5	2.0	1.1	.9	2.7	.0	1.8	1.6	1.6	.7
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.7	1.4	.5	.7	1.5	.8	.8	1.2	.3	1.1	1.9	.5	.5	.8	.3
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.4	.1	.6	.2	.2	.7	.7	.0	.5	1.4	.0	.8	.3	.0	.4
\$50,000 or more	3.7	3.5	4.5	4.1	4.3	6.3	2.7	2.1	2.7	2.9	1.7	4.8	2.7	2.4	2.0
Median income	\$1,608	\$1,396	\$2,059	\$1,866	\$1,808	\$2,853	\$1,132	\$866	\$1,588	\$1,496	\$1,234	\$1,937	\$995	\$797	\$1,497

Table V.D.2—Income from assets by quintiles of total money income¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Unit asset income (recipients only)	Quintiles of total money income														
	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Number (in thousands)	1,158	2,540	3,343	3,975	4,478	847	1,390	1,678	1,779	1,918	558	922	1,775	2,152	2,475
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than \$250	49.9	35.7	23.6	18.7	8.9	41.6	26.7	22.4	13.8	7.3	55.2	43.6	32.1	18.2	10.2
\$250-\$499	14.8	11.9	8.0	4.8	3.3	10.0	7.9	4.4	6.1	1.9	14.3	14.3	11.8	7.6	3.4
\$500-\$749	7.8	8.3	6.1	3.8	3.3	6.2	6.5	4.1	6.2	1.4	6.7	9.6	8.1	5.9	2.5
\$750-\$999	4.4	5.1	4.6	3.2	1.8	6.9	5.6	3.7	2.2	1.7	3.2	6.1	4.6	3.4	1.8
\$1,000-\$1,499	9.6	9.7	6.3	6.5	3.8	10.6	7.4	6.4	6.0	3.1	9.6	9.1	9.2	5.4	4.7
\$1,500-\$1,999	2.5	4.9	6.9	5.1	2.3	5.3	7.8	5.4	3.6	1.7	1.7	2.7	5.5	6.8	2.8
\$2,000-\$2,499	3.8	5.0	4.2	4.2	2.7	4.8	5.7	4.9	4.0	2.2	3.3	2.9	5.7	3.6	2.3
\$2,500-\$2,999	1.8	3.3	4.1	4.0	1.6	2.2	4.9	3.7	2.9	.8	1.3	2.9	3.7	3.8	2.9
\$3,000-\$3,999	2.0	7.5	10.3	7.4	4.1	5.0	8.8	6.7	3.7	5.0	1.0	3.9	9.5	11.7	5.3
\$4,000-\$4,999	1.2	3.2	4.3	5.5	3.0	2.1	4.4	5.9	4.5	2.6	1.6	1.6	3.6	5.3	3.5
\$5,000-\$9,999	2.2	4.9	16.3	18.6	13.2	3.8	10.7	20.7	18.6	10.8	2.1	3.1	5.8	21.2	14.7
\$10,000-\$14,999 .....	.0	.7	4.8	9.3	8.6	1.5	3.2	8.1	10.4	7.0	.0	.0	.4	6.4	11.2
\$15,000-\$19,999 .....	.0	.0	.5	6.5	6.1	.0	.1	2.9	4.9	6.6	.0	.0	.0	.7	10.9
\$20,000-\$24,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	2.0	5.7	.0	.3	.7	6.4	4.4	.0	.0	.0	.0	4.9
\$25,000-\$29,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.2	3.5	.0	.0	.0	2.6	3.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.7
\$30,000-\$34,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	8.5	.0	.0	.0	4.1	8.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	5.6
\$35,000-\$39,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	4.2	.0	.0	.0	1.0	4.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	3.0
\$40,000-\$44,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.9	.0	.0	.0	.1	2.9	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.1
\$45,000-\$49,999 .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	2.1	.0	.0	.0	.1	2.7	.0	.0	.0	.0	1.7
\$50,000 or more .....	.0	.0	.0	.0	15.5	.0	.0	.0	.0	25.0	.0	.0	.0	.0	8.6
Median income	\$252	\$582	\$1,581	\$2,884	\$10,686	\$400	\$1,156	\$2,234	\$4,216	\$18,235	\$204	\$312	\$684	\$2,360	\$8,004

¹ Quintile limits are \$8,792, \$14,224, \$22,255, and \$37,962 for all units; \$17,512, \$25,595, \$36,019, and \$57,808 for married couples; and \$7,126, \$10,168, \$14,373, and \$22,510 for nonmarried persons.

Table VI.A.1.—Relative importance of income sources by age: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Proportion of unit income ¹	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older			
			Total	65-74	75 or older	
	Retirement benefits ²					
	Number (in thousands)	11,178	3,838	23,920	12,251	11,669
	Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
	0	72	35	5	7	3
	1-19	6	10	4	6	3
	20-39	6	11	9	11	6
	40-59	4	9	11	13	10
	60-79	2	9	15	15	15
	80 or more	10	25	56	49	63
	50 or more	14	39	77	70	83
	90 or more	8	22	46	40	53
	100	5	11	24	21	28
	Mean proportion	15	39	73	67	78
	Social Security ³					
	Number (in thousands)	11,178	3,838	23,920	12,251	11,669
	Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
	0	87	45	8	10	5
	1-19	3	14	9	12	6
	20-39	3	14	15	18	13
	40-59	1	8	18	18	17
	60-79	1	6	15	14	17
	80 or more	5	13	34	27	42
	50 or more	7	23	58	50	67
	90 or more	4	11	27	22	33
	100	3	8	17	14	20
Mean proportion	7	26	58	51	65	

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Table VI.A.1.—Relative importance of income sources by age: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Proportion of unit income ¹	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older			
			Total	65-74	75 or older	
Government employee pension ⁴						
	Number (in thousands)	11,178	3,838	23,920	12,251	11,669
	Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
	0	92	88	86	85	88
	1-19	2	3	3	3	3
	20-39	2	3	4	4	3
	40-59	1	2	4	4	3
	60-79	1	2	2	2	2
	80 or more	2	1	1	2	1
	50 or more	3	4	5	6	5
	90 or more	1	1	1	1	1
	100	0	0	0	0	0
	Mean proportion	3	5	6	6	5
	Private pension or annuity					
	Number (in thousands)	11,178	3,838	23,920	12,251	11,669
	Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
	0	89	77	69	68	70
	1-19	4	9	14	13	14
	20-39	3	7	11	11	10
40-59	1	4	5	6	4	
60-79	1	2	1	1	1	
80 or more	2	1	1	1	1	
50 or more	3	5	4	4	3	
90 or more	1	1	0	0	0	
100	1	0	0	0	0	
Mean proportion	4	8	8	9	7	

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Table VI.A.1.—Relative importance of income sources by age: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Proportion of unit income ¹	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older		
			Total	65-74	75 or older
Number (in thousands) Total percent 0 1-19 20-39 40-59 60-79 80 or more 50 or more 90 or more 100 Mean proportion	Earnings				
	11,178	3,838	23,920	12,251	11,669
	100	100	100	100	100
	18	36	79	68	92
	2	6	4	6	2
	3	6	4	7	2
	5	8	5	7	2
	10	12	4	6	1
	61	32	3	6	1
	75	49	10	16	3
	52	25	2	4	0
	18	9	1	1	0
	70	46	10	16	3
	Income from assets				
	11,178	3,838	23,920	12,251	11,669
	100	100	100	100	100
	55	56	48	49	47
	34	30	30	31	29
	5	8	11	10	11
	3	2	6	5	6
	1	2	3	3	4
	2	2	2	1	2
	5	4	8	7	9
	2	1	1	1	1
	2	1	1	1	1
	8	8	12	11	13

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Table VI.A.1.—Relative importance of income sources by age: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Proportion of unit income ¹	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older		
			Total	65-74	75 or older
	Public assistance				
Number (in thousands)	11,178	3,838	23,920	12,251	11,669
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
0	94	94	95	95	95
1-19	1	1	2	2	1
20-39	1	2	1	1	1
40-59	1	1	1	1	1
60-79	0	0	0	0	0
80 or more	3	2	1	1	1
50 or more	3	3	2	2	2
90 or more	3	2	1	1	1
100	2	2	1	1	1
Mean proportion	3	4	2	2	2

¹ Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings or income from assets are excluded.

² Retirement benefits include Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.

³ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

⁴ Government employee pensions include federal, state, local, and military pensions.

Table VI.A.2.—Relative importance of income sources by quintiles of total money income: ¹ Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Proportion of unit income ²	Quintiles of total money income					
	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Retirement benefits ³						
Number (in thousands)	23,920	4,325	4,961	4,933	4,843	4,858
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100
0	5	12	2	3	2	7
1-19	4	0	1	1	2	16
20-39	9	1	2	6	11	23
40-59	11	4	5	13	17	17
60-79	15	8	12	17	22	15
80 or more	56	75	78	61	46	21
50 or more	77	85	93	85	76	44
90 or more	46	68	69	49	33	13
100	24	53	39	22	9	3
Mean proportion	73	81	87	78	70	47
Social Security ⁴						
Number (in thousands)	23,920	4,325	4,961	4,933	4,843	4,858
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100
0	8	14	4	4	6	12
1-19	9	1	1	2	6	36
20-39	15	2	3	10	25	37
40-59	18	5	8	26	36	13
60-79	15	9	18	27	19	2
80 or more	34	70	66	31	7	2
50 or more	58	82	89	72	44	6
90 or more	27	62	53	20	3	1
100	17	48	29	10	1	0
Mean proportion	58	77	81	64	46	23

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Table VI.A.2.—Relative importance of income sources by quintiles of total money income: ¹ Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998—Continued

Proportion of unit income ²	Quintiles of total money income					
	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Government employee pension ⁵						
Number (in thousands)	23,920	4,325	4,961	4,933	4,843	4,858
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100
0	86	98	95	89	79	73
1-19	3	1	1	2	4	6
20-39	4	1	2	3	5	8
40-59	4	0	1	4	6	7
60-79	2	0	1	1	4	5
80 or more	1	0	0	1	3	2
50 or more	5	1	2	5	9	10
90 or more	1	0	0	1	1	1
100	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mean proportion	6	1	2	5	10	11
Private pension or annuity						
Number (in thousands)	23,920	4,325	4,961	4,933	4,843	4,858
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100
0	69	94	82	64	52	55
1-19	14	3	11	16	18	20
20-39	11	1	5	13	19	13
40-59	5	0	1	5	8	9
60-79	1	0	0	1	2	2
80 or more	1	1	1	0	1	0
50 or more	4	2	1	2	5	6
90 or more	0	1	0	0	0	0
100	0	1	0	0	0	0
Mean proportion	8	2	4	9	13	12

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Table VI.A.2.—Relative importance of income sources by quintiles of total money income: ¹ Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older, 1998—Continued

Proportion of unit income ²	Quintiles of total money income					
	Total	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Earnings						
Number (in thousands)	23,920	4,325	4,961	4,933	4,843	4,858
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100
0	79	97	93	84	73	52
1-19	4	1	2	4	6	9
20-39	4	0	2	4	8	8
40-59	5	0	1	5	6	10
60-79	4	0	1	2	4	11
80 or more	3	1	1	2	3	9
50 or more	10	2	2	6	11	26
90 or more	2	1	1	2	2	5
100	1	1	1	1	1	1
Mean proportion	10	2	3	7	12	24
Income from assets						
Number (in thousands)	23,920	4,325	4,961	4,933	4,843	4,858
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100
0	48	81	63	46	34	20
1-19	30	12	27	33	40	36
20-39	11	2	7	12	14	16
40-59	6	1	2	6	8	12
60-79	3	1	0	1	4	10
80 or more	2	3	0	1	0	5
50 or more	8	4	2	5	7	22
90 or more	1	2	0	0	0	1
100	1	2	0	0	0	0
Mean proportion	12	5	6	10	14	25

¹ Quintile limits are \$8,792, \$14,224, \$22,255, and \$37,962 for aged units.

² Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings or income from assets are excluded.

³ Retirement benefits include Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government

employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.

⁴ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

⁵ Government employee pensions include federal, state, local, and military pensions.

Table VI.B.1.—Relative importance of income sources by age: Percentage distribution of aged recipient units 55 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older			
			Total	65-74	75 or older	
Retirement benefits ²						
	Number (in thousands)	3,109	2,496	22,740	11,433	11,307
	Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
	1-19	22	16	4	6	3
	20-39	21	18	9	12	6
	40-59	13	13	12	14	10
	60-79	9	14	16	16	15
	80 or more	36	39	59	53	65
	50 or more	51	59	81	75	86
	90 or more	29	34	48	43	54
	100	18	18	26	22	29
	Mean proportion	54	61	76	72	81
	Social Security ³					
	Number (in thousands)	1,455	2,109	22,026	10,977	11,048
	Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
	1-19	20	25	10	13	7
	20-39	22	25	17	20	14
40-59	11	15	19	21	18	
60-79	10	11	17	15	18	
80 or more	37	24	37	31	44	
50 or more	52	43	63	56	71	
90 or more	32	20	30	24	35	
100	25	14	18	15	21	
Mean proportion	56	48	63	57	68	

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Table VI.B.1.—Relative importance of income sources by age: Percentage distribution of aged recipient units 55 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older			
			Total	65-74	75 or older	
	Government employee pension ⁴					
	Number (in thousands)	845	446	3,290	1,818	1,472
	Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
	1-19	27	24	21	20	21
	20-39	25	28	27	27	27
	40-59	17	18	26	26	26
	60-79	10	19	17	16	18
	80 or more	21	11	9	11	8
	50 or more	38	38	39	39	40
	90 or more	13	5	5	6	4
	100	5	2	1	1	1
	Mean proportion	45	43	43	43	43
	Private pension or annuity					
	Number (in thousands)	1,214	895	7,517	3,973	3,544
	Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
	1-19	35	37	44	40	48
	20-39	25	31	35	36	34
	40-59	13	16	16	18	13
60-79	8	10	4	4	3	
80 or more	19	6	2	2	2	
50 or more	32	22	11	12	10	
90 or more	14	3	1	1	1	
100	6	1	1	1	0	
Mean proportion	39	33	26	27	24	

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Table VI.B.1.—Relative importance of income sources by age: Percentage distribution of aged recipient units 55 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older			
			Total	65-74	75 or older	
	Earnings					
	Number (in thousands)	9,229	2,489	5,131	4,085	1,046
	Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
	1-19	3	9	21	19	29
	20-39	4	9	22	21	26
	40-59	7	13	23	23	23
	60-79	12	19	18	19	14
	80 or more	74	50	17	18	8
	50 or more	91	76	47	50	33
	90 or more	63	39	10	12	5
	100	22	14	4	4	4
	Mean proportion	85	70	46	48	36
	Income from assets					
	Number (in thousands)	7,249	2,356	15,256	7,913	7,343
	Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
	1-19	75	69	58	61	55
	20-39	12	18	21	19	22
	40-59	6	6	11	11	12
	60-79	3	4	6	6	7
	80 or more	5	4	3	3	4
	50 or more	10	10	15	13	17
	90 or more	4	3	2	1	2
	100	3	2	1	1	1
Mean proportion	12	13	19	17	21	

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Table VI.B.1.—Relative importance of income sources by age: Percentage distribution of aged recipient units 55 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older		
			Total	65-74	75 or older
	Public assistance				
Number (in thousands)	645	249	1,226	674	552
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	24	18	30	32	28
20-39	15	26	24	25	23
40-59	10	11	16	15	17
60-79	5	7	3	3	2
80 or more	46	39	27	24	30
50 or more	55	51	35	33	37
90 or more	44	37	26	24	29
100	41	33	24	22	27
Mean proportion	60	56	45	43	48

¹ Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings or income from assets are excluded.

² Retirement benefits include Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.

³ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

⁴ Government employee pensions include federal, state, local, and military pensions.

Table VI.B.2.—Relative importance of income sources by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	Age 55-61				Age 62-64				Aged 65 or older			
	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women
	Retirement benefits ²											
Number (in thousands)	1,809	1,300	496	804	1,379	1,117	375	742	9,411	13,329	3,260	10,069
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	30	11	8	13	23	7	7	7	6	3	4	3
20-39	27	13	13	14	20	14	15	14	12	7	7	7
40-59	15	10	9	10	15	11	10	12	13	11	11	11
60-79	9	8	7	8	12	15	14	16	18	14	14	14
80 or more	19	58	64	55	29	52	54	52	51	65	64	65
50 or more	35	72	78	68	49	73	74	72	75	85	83	85
90 or more	15	48	54	44	23	47	49	46	39	55	55	55
100	7	32	38	29	8	29	30	29	15	33	32	33
Mean proportion	42	71	76	69	51	72	72	72	71	80	80	81
	Social Security ³											
Number (in thousands)	713	742	268	474	1,110	999	333	666	9,081	12,945	3,122	9,823
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	36	4	4	4	36	12	13	12	15	7	10	5
20-39	30	14	9	17	30	20	22	19	22	13	15	13
40-59	12	11	8	13	14	15	16	15	22	17	19	17
60-79	7	12	9	14	7	16	10	19	17	16	17	16
80 or more	15	58	69	52	12	37	39	36	24	47	39	49
50 or more	28	76	83	72	28	59	57	60	52	71	64	74
90 or more	12	51	62	44	10	32	37	29	17	38	32	40
100	8	41	53	34	5	23	27	22	9	25	21	26
Mean proportion	37	75	81	72	36	61	61	62	54	69	64	71

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Table VI.B.2.—Relative importance of income sources by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	Age 55-61				Age 62-64				Aged 65 or older			
	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women
	Government employee pension ⁴											
Number (in thousands)	582	263	90	173	307	139	33	106	1,813	1,477	411	1,066
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	31	16	13	17	25	23	(⁵)	28	24	17	9	20
20-39	28	19	11	24	27	29	(⁵)	30	28	26	17	29
40-59	16	21	29	16	19	17	(⁵)	13	26	26	27	26
60-79	11	7	5	8	20	16	(⁵)	13	16	18	26	15
80 or more	14	37	42	35	10	15	(⁵)	17	6	13	21	10
50 or more	30	54	65	49	40	36	(⁵)	30	35	44	56	40
90 or more	9	22	29	18	5	7	(⁵)	7	3	8	13	6
100	2	9	11	8	2	4	(⁵)	4	0	2	3	1
Mean proportion	39	57	63	54	42	43	(⁵)	41	40	46	55	43
	Private pension or annuity											
Number (in thousands)	782	432	176	256	572	322	113	209	4,020	3,497	1,086	2,411
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	40	27	18	33	42	27	18	32	44	44	34	49
20-39	25	26	30	23	29	35	33	36	36	33	39	30
40-59	14	10	8	11	17	15	19	13	16	15	17	14
60-79	9	6	2	9	8	12	21	7	3	5	7	4
80 or more	12	31	42	24	4	10	9	11	1	3	4	2
50 or more	27	41	49	36	17	31	41	25	9	14	18	12
90 or more	9	22	28	18	2	5	3	6	1	1	2	1
100	3	11	13	9	1	1	0	2	0	1	1	1
Mean proportion	34	48	55	44	29	39	45	35	25	27	31	25

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Table VI.B.2.—Relative importance of income sources by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	Age 55-61				Age 62-64				Aged 65 or older			
	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women
	Earnings											
Number (in thousands)	6,044	3,185	1,221	1,964	1,627	862	314	548	3,361	1,769	531	1,238
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	3	3	1	4	9	8	9	8	21	20	19	21
20-39	4	3	3	4	9	9	4	12	22	21	21	21
40-59	7	6	6	5	14	11	7	13	22	24	21	25
60-79	14	9	10	9	21	16	19	15	19	16	14	17
80 or more	72	79	80	79	47	56	61	54	15	19	25	16
50 or more	90	92	93	91	75	76	80	74	47	46	51	44
90 or more	60	69	72	68	35	47	51	45	9	13	15	12
100	14	38	38	37	8	25	31	21	3	7	10	5
Mean proportion	83	87	88	86	69	73	77	71	45	47	50	45
	Income from assets											
Number (in thousands)	4,929	2,321	889	1,431	1,528	828	272	556	7,439	7,816	1,916	5,900
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	80	64	65	64	71	64	57	67	61	56	54	56
20-39	11	12	12	12	17	19	30	14	20	21	21	21
40-59	5	9	10	8	6	5	2	7	10	13	14	12
60-79	2	4	2	5	3	7	5	7	6	7	8	6
80 or more	2	11	11	11	3	5	6	5	3	4	3	4
50 or more	6	19	18	19	8	14	12	14	13	17	20	16
90 or more	1	10	11	10	2	4	3	4	1	2	1	2
100	1	9	9	9	1	3	2	3	1	1	1	2
Mean proportion	9	18	18	18	12	15	15	15	18	20	20	20

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Table VI.B.2.—Relative importance of income sources by age, sex, and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 55 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	Age 55-61				Age 62-64				Aged 65 or older			
	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons			Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women		Total	Men	Women
	Public assistance											
Number (in thousands)	153	492	167	325	67	182	49	133	219	1,007	181	825
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	47	17	18	16	(⁵)	12	(⁵)	12	35	29	28	30
20-39	25	12	11	12	(⁵)	27	(⁵)	28	24	25	29	23
40-59	10	10	10	10	(⁵)	9	(⁵)	8	13	16	12	17
60-79	5	5	4	5	(⁵)	9	(⁵)	6	4	2	3	2
80 or more	13	57	57	57	(⁵)	44	(⁵)	46	25	27	28	27
50 or more	22	66	63	67	(⁵)	59	(⁵)	61	35	35	35	35
90 or more	12	54	57	53	(⁵)	43	(⁵)	44	24	27	28	27
100	11	50	50	51	(⁵)	40	(⁵)	44	22	25	25	25
Mean proportion	32	69	70	68	(⁵)	62	(⁵)	62	43	46	47	46

¹ Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings or income from assets are excluded.

² Retirement benefits include Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.

³ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

⁴ Government employee pensions include federal, state, local, and military pensions.

⁵ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

Table VI.B.3.—Relative importance of income sources by sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	Beneficiary units ²					Nonbeneficiary units				
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women
	Retirement benefits ³									
Number (in thousands)	22,026	9,081	12,945	3,122	9,823	714	331	384	138	245
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	4	6	3	4	3	8	10	6	1	8
20-39	9	12	7	7	7	11	16	7	13	3
40-59	12	13	11	11	11	13	13	13	6	18
60-79	16	18	14	14	14	12	10	14	17	12
80 or more	59	51	65	64	65	56	51	61	64	60
50 or more	81	75	85	83	85	74	65	82	84	81
90 or more	48	39	55	55	55	46	41	51	58	47
100	26	16	33	32	33	17	11	22	26	20
Mean proportion	77	71	80	79	81	71	65	77	81	74
	Government employee pension ⁴									
Number (in thousands)	2,958	1,666	1,292	348	944	332	147	185	63	122
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	22	25	19	11	22	5	10	2	(⁵)	2
20-39	29	29	29	20	32	10	16	6	(⁵)	7
40-59	27	26	29	30	28	15	19	11	(⁵)	12
60-79	17	16	18	27	15	14	15	13	(⁵)	12
80 or more	4	3	5	11	3	56	40	68	(⁵)	66
50 or more	35	33	38	49	34	78	64	89	(⁵)	86
90 or more	1	1	1	2	1	43	31	53	(⁵)	45
100	0	0	0	0	0	10	3	16	(⁵)	13
Mean proportion	39	38	41	49	39	72	62	80	(⁵)	76

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Table VI.B.3.—Relative importance of income sources by sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	Beneficiary units ²					Nonbeneficiary units				
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women
	Private pension or annuity									
Number (in thousands)	7,212	3,861	3,352	1,027	2,325	304	159	145	59	86
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	45	44	45	35	50	21	22	20	(⁶)	33
20-39	35	37	34	39	31	21	27	15	(⁶)	2
40-59	16	16	15	18	14	14	16	12	(⁶)	20
60-79	3	3	4	6	4	10	5	16	(⁶)	11
80 or more	1	0	1	1	1	34	30	37	(⁶)	33
50 or more	10	8	12	15	10	51	38	63	(⁶)	62
90 or more	0	0	0	0	0	30	28	32	(⁶)	33
100	0	0	0	0	0	14	7	20	(⁶)	18
Mean proportion	25	24	25	29	24	52	46	59	(⁶)	55
	Earnings									
Number (in thousands)	4,280	2,871	1,410	385	1,025	850	490	360	147	213
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	24	24	24	24	23	7	7	7	4	10
20-39	25	25	25	26	24	6	5	8	9	7
40-59	25	24	27	23	29	12	13	10	16	7
60-79	19	20	17	15	18	12	13	10	12	9
80 or more	7	7	7	11	5	63	63	64	60	68
50 or more	39	40	38	40	36	83	86	79	78	80
90 or more	2	2	2	1	2	52	49	56	50	60
100	0	0	0	0	0	24	18	32	36	29
Mean proportion	39	40	39	40	39	76	77	76	77	76

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Table VI.B.3.—Relative importance of income sources by sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	Beneficiary units ²					Nonbeneficiary units				
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women
	Income from assets									
Number (in thousands)	14,170	6,861	7,309	1,747	5,562	1,085	578	507	169	338
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	59	61	56	55	56	53	57	48	47	49
20-39	21	20	22	21	22	14	15	12	16	11
40-59	11	10	13	14	13	11	11	11	14	10
60-79	7	6	7	7	7	4	5	4	10	2
80 or more	2	2	3	3	3	18	13	24	13	29
50 or more	14	12	16	18	15	28	21	35	33	36
90 or more	0	0	0	0	0	17	11	23	13	27
100	0	0	0	0	0	16	11	22	13	27
Mean proportion	18	17	19	20	19	26	22	31	26	34
	Public assistance									
Number (in thousands)	864	146	718	129	590	361	73	288	52	236
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	41	43	40	39	41	5	(⁵)	2	(⁵)	3
20-39	34	32	34	42	33	2	(⁵)	0	(⁵)	1
40-59	21	19	22	15	23	3	(⁵)	4	(⁵)	4
60-79	3	5	3	4	2	1	(⁵)	1	(⁵)	1
80 or more	1	1	1	0	1	88	(⁵)	93	(⁵)	92
50 or more	11	14	10	10	10	91	(⁵)	96	(⁵)	96
90 or more	1	0	1	0	1	87	(⁵)	91	(⁵)	90
100	0	0	0	0	0	83	(⁵)	87	(⁵)	88
Mean proportion	26	26	26	26	27	91	(⁵)	94	(⁵)	93

¹ Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings or income from assets are excluded.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

³ Retirement benefits include Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.

⁴ Government employee pensions include federal, state, local, and military pensions.

⁵ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

Table VI.B.4.—Relative importance of income sources by sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²
Retirement benefits ³															
Number (in thousands)	20,195	2,075	1,061	8,669	526	405	11,526	1,548	656	2,772	419	203	8,754	1,129	452
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	4	2	3	6	3	7	3	2	1	4	0	3	3	2	0
20-39	10	4	5	12	7	9	8	4	3	8	3	5	8	4	3
40-59	12	10	9	13	13	9	11	8	9	12	7	5	11	9	10
60-79	16	12	11	18	15	11	14	10	11	14	12	10	14	10	11
80 or more	58	73	72	50	62	65	63	76	76	61	77	77	64	76	76
50 or more	80	89	88	75	82	81	84	91	92	81	94	89	85	90	93
90 or more	47	66	63	38	54	56	53	70	68	53	69	71	54	70	66
100	23	51	46	14	37	37	29	56	52	28	53	51	30	58	52
Mean proportion	76	85	84	71	79	78	79	87	87	78	88	87	80	87	87
Social Security ⁴															
Number (in thousands)	19,580	2,001	1,019	8,361	516	387	11,219	1,485	632	2,653	402	194	8,566	1,083	439
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	10	5	5	15	11	9	7	3	2	12	2	5	6	3	1
20-39	18	10	8	22	17	12	14	8	6	17	10	9	14	7	5
40-59	20	14	15	23	15	19	18	13	13	20	12	12	17	14	13
60-79	17	15	14	17	21	16	17	13	13	17	16	11	17	12	14
80 or more	35	56	58	23	36	45	44	63	66	36	60	62	47	64	68
50 or more	62	79	80	51	65	69	70	83	87	61	83	79	73	84	90
90 or more	28	49	50	16	33	39	36	55	56	29	50	53	38	57	58
100	16	40	39	8	23	29	22	45	45	18	40	40	23	47	47
Mean proportion	62	76	76	53	64	68	68	80	82	61	78	77	70	81	83

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Table VI.B.4.—Relative importance of income sources by sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²
Government employee pension ⁵															
Number (in thousands)	2,965	224	87	1,657	95	52	1,308	129	35	359	43	14	949	86	21
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	20	27	15	24	32	(⁶)	16	24	(⁶)	9	(⁶)	(⁶)	19	29	(⁶)
20-39	27	23	25	27	27	(⁶)	27	19	(⁶)	17	(⁶)	(⁶)	30	17	(⁶)
40-59	27	24	25	26	21	(⁶)	27	25	(⁶)	28	(⁶)	(⁶)	27	26	(⁶)
60-79	17	15	14	16	16	(⁶)	18	15	(⁶)	25	(⁶)	(⁶)	16	9	(⁶)
80 or more	9	11	21	7	2	(⁶)	12	17	(⁶)	21	(⁶)	(⁶)	8	18	(⁶)
50 or more	39	40	46	36	25	(⁶)	44	50	(⁶)	56	(⁶)	(⁶)	39	49	(⁶)
90 or more	5	7	9	3	0	(⁶)	7	12	(⁶)	12	(⁶)	(⁶)	5	10	(⁶)
100	1	2	1	0	0	(⁶)	2	4	(⁶)	3	(⁶)	(⁶)	1	3	(⁶)
Mean proportion	43	42	49	40	34	(⁶)	46	47	(⁶)	55	(⁶)	(⁶)	42	45	(⁶)
Private pension or annuity															
Number (in thousands)	6,978	436	185	3,795	178	102	3,183	259	84	963	96	38	2,220	163	46
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	44	35	35	44	35	34	45	35	35	33	39	(⁶)	51	33	(⁶)
20-39	35	33	37	36	39	41	33	28	33	39	34	(⁶)	30	25	(⁶)
40-59	15	21	17	16	19	18	15	22	15	17	18	(⁶)	13	24	(⁶)
60-79	4	6	7	3	5	6	5	7	8	7	6	(⁶)	4	8	(⁶)
80 or more	2	5	5	1	1	0	3	8	10	4	3	(⁶)	2	10	(⁶)
50 or more	11	17	17	9	10	9	14	22	25	19	14	(⁶)	11	27	(⁶)
90 or more	1	3	5	1	1	0	1	4	10	2	0	(⁶)	1	6	(⁶)
100	0	2	3	0	1	0	1	2	8	1	0	(⁶)	0	4	(⁶)
Mean proportion	25	31	31	25	27	27	26	34	35	31	27	(⁶)	24	38	(⁶)

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Table VI.B.4.—Relative importance of income sources by sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
	All units			Married couples			Total			Men			Women		
	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²
Earnings															
Number (in thousands)	4,601	383	235	3,051	200	154	1,549	183	82	455	64	39	1,094	119	42
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	22	18	12	22	25	9	21	11	19	20	(⁶)	(⁶)	22	13	(⁶)
20-39	22	21	14	22	21	14	22	21	13	21	(⁶)	(⁶)	22	17	(⁶)
40-59	23	24	20	22	23	20	24	25	21	22	(⁶)	(⁶)	25	26	(⁶)
60-79	18	15	17	19	16	18	16	14	15	15	(⁶)	(⁶)	16	16	(⁶)
80 or more	15	21	37	14	15	39	17	28	33	23	(⁶)	(⁶)	14	28	(⁶)
50 or more	45	51	63	46	47	65	44	56	59	49	(⁶)	(⁶)	42	56	(⁶)
90 or more	9	14	30	9	7	31	11	23	29	11	(⁶)	(⁶)	11	19	(⁶)
100	3	10	17	3	3	18	4	18	17	7	(⁶)	(⁶)	4	14	(⁶)
Mean proportion	45	49	60	44	42	63	45	57	56	48	(⁶)	(⁶)	44	56	(⁶)
Income from assets															
Number (in thousands)	14,371	578	403	7,045	217	204	7,326	361	199	1,769	120	73	5,557	240	126
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	58	69	63	61	70	66	55	68	60	54	64	(⁶)	56	70	55
20-39	21	12	17	20	16	17	22	8	17	22	4	(⁶)	22	11	19
40-59	11	12	7	10	12	4	13	12	10	14	15	(⁶)	12	10	15
60-79	6	4	4	6	2	5	7	5	3	8	9	(⁶)	6	3	3
80 or more	3	4	8	3	0	8	4	7	9	3	9	(⁶)	4	7	8
50 or more	15	15	17	13	11	17	17	17	17	20	17	(⁶)	16	18	17
90 or more	1	4	8	1	0	8	2	6	9	1	6	(⁶)	2	6	8
100	1	4	5	1	0	6	1	6	5	1	6	(⁶)	1	6	5
Mean proportion	19	14	16	18	12	15	20	14	17	20	17	(⁶)	20	13	18

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Table VI.B.4.—Relative importance of income sources by sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ¹	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²	White	Black	Hispanic origin ²
	Public assistance														
Number (in thousands)	807	303	233	152	32	50	655	270	183	99	67	26	556	203	158
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	33	27	24	35	(⁶)	(⁶)	33	25	21	20	(⁶)	(⁶)	36	19	22
20-39	22	31	19	24	(⁶)	(⁶)	22	31	20	25	(⁶)	(⁶)	21	29	17
40-59	16	18	18	14	(⁶)	(⁶)	17	19	16	18	(⁶)	(⁶)	17	23	15
60-79	3	3	1	5	(⁶)	(⁶)	2	3	1	5	(⁶)	(⁶)	2	4	1
80 or more	25	21	38	22	(⁶)	(⁶)	26	22	43	33	(⁶)	(⁶)	24	25	44
50 or more	33	31	45	35	(⁶)	(⁶)	32	33	48	45	(⁶)	(⁶)	30	39	51
90 or more	24	21	36	22	(⁶)	(⁶)	25	22	41	33	(⁶)	(⁶)	23	25	43
100	23	17	34	22	(⁶)	(⁶)	23	19	39	28	(⁶)	(⁶)	22	22	40
Mean proportion	43	43	54	43	(⁶)	(⁶)	43	45	58	53	(⁶)	(⁶)	42	49	60

¹ Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings or income from assets are excluded.

² Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

³ Retirement benefits include Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.

⁴ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

⁵ Government employee pensions include federal, state, local, and military pensions.

⁶ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

Table VI.B.5.—Relative importance of income sources by quintiles of total money income ¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ²	Quintiles of total money income														
	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Retirement benefits ³															
Number (in thousands)	3,822	4,844	4,807	4,731	4,535	1,703	1,978	1,969	1,924	1,837	2,128	2,801	2,830	2,837	2,732
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	0	1	1	2	17	1	0	2	4	25	1	0	0	1	12
20-39	2	2	6	11	25	3	4	6	18	29	1	2	1	8	22
40-59	4	5	14	17	19	4	8	16	21	17	5	4	7	19	20
60-79	9	12	17	22	16	9	16	25	23	14	11	7	16	20	16
80 or more	85	80	62	47	23	82	72	51	34	15	83	88	76	51	30
50 or more	97	96	87	78	47	94	92	86	66	36	96	97	96	82	54
90 or more	77	70	50	33	14	73	56	36	22	8	75	81	64	39	21
100	60	39	22	9	3	45	22	8	4	1	61	57	30	15	6
Mean proportion	92	89	80	72	51	90	84	75	64	43	91	93	88	75	56
Social Security ⁴															
Number (in thousands)	3,701	4,764	4,712	4,545	4,303	1,632	1,944	1,912	1,848	1,744	2,073	2,765	2,787	2,759	2,561
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	1	1	2	7	40	1	2	4	11	59	1	0	1	3	28
20-39	2	3	10	27	42	4	6	16	47	36	2	2	4	14	45
40-59	5	8	28	38	14	6	19	44	37	2	5	6	11	40	22
60-79	10	19	28	21	2	15	32	30	4	1	12	10	25	30	2
80 or more	82	68	32	8	2	74	42	7	1	1	80	83	59	13	2
50 or more	96	93	75	47	7	92	84	62	17	3	95	96	92	65	11
90 or more	73	55	21	3	1	62	25	3	1	0	73	72	43	6	1
100	56	30	10	1	0	38	10	0	0	0	58	50	19	3	1
Mean proportion	90	84	67	49	26	86	72	54	37	20	90	90	81	57	31

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Table VI.B.5.—Relative importance of income sources by quintiles of total money income ¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ²	Quintiles of total money income														
	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Government employee pension ⁵															
Number (in thousands)	86	250	564	1,034	1,356	75	221	402	507	609	47	94	159	433	744
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	32	27	17	18	23	35	32	21	17	26	(⁶)	40	19	11	17
20-39	31	34	25	24	29	36	21	26	23	35	(⁶)	30	38	24	24
40-59	12	16	35	28	24	13	26	32	28	21	(⁶)	19	16	39	23
60-79	9	16	13	18	18	11	14	15	24	12	(⁶)	9	20	14	21
80 or more	16	7	10	12	7	5	7	6	8	5	(⁶)	2	9	12	15
50 or more	26	33	40	45	36	18	34	38	45	28	(⁶)	20	38	47	47
90 or more	12	2	6	7	4	3	6	3	5	1	(⁶)	2	3	7	9
100	9	1	2	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	(⁶)	2	0	2	2
Mean proportion	40	38	44	46	41	32	39	41	45	36	(⁶)	31	41	48	48
Private pension or annuity															
Number (in thousands)	279	918	1,771	2,327	2,222	271	770	1,031	1,031	917	97	293	733	1,196	1,178
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	48	58	45	37	44	53	49	37	37	52	38	68	57	41	35
20-39	18	30	38	40	30	27	40	47	33	28	20	18	32	39	32
40-59	7	7	14	18	19	6	10	15	26	14	6	7	8	17	20
60-79	6	2	2	4	6	0	1	2	3	5	12	1	3	2	9
80 or more	21	3	1	1	1	14	0	0	0	1	24	6	1	1	4
50 or more	29	7	7	11	14	16	3	6	11	13	39	9	7	9	23
90 or more	19	2	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	20	5	1	0	1
100	11	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	16	4	0	0	0
Mean proportion	37	21	24	27	26	28	22	25	28	23	44	22	21	26	31

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Table VI.B.5.—Relative importance of income sources by quintiles of total money income ¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ²	Quintiles of total money income														
	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
	Earnings														
Number (in thousands)	156	381	833	1,369	2,393	234	395	628	902	1,202	79	84	245	502	860
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	30	33	23	21	18	25	29	23	19	19	34	40	31	17	16
20-39	13	23	23	29	17	16	30	33	21	16	14	17	29	21	20
40-59	8	15	31	24	21	15	20	25	26	20	8	5	19	40	19
60-79	6	12	13	15	23	17	12	12	24	22	4	12	9	13	21
80 or more	42	17	11	12	20	27	9	7	10	23	41	26	13	9	23
50 or more	53	34	39	41	54	53	34	34	47	58	52	39	27	40	55
90 or more	37	13	9	7	11	20	7	3	7	12	38	23	11	9	13
100	26	9	7	3	2	14	4	2	1	2	23	15	7	7	4
Mean proportion	52	38	42	42	50	46	37	37	45	51	53	42	36	44	51

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Table VI.B.5.—Relative importance of income sources by quintiles of total money income ¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of aged units 65 or older receiving particular sources of income, 1998—*Continued*

Proportion of unit income (recipients only) ²	Quintiles of total money income														
	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
	Income from assets														
Number (in thousands)	1,094	2,503	3,312	3,930	4,417	789	1,367	1,648	1,740	1,895	523	920	1,764	2,143	2,467
Total percent	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
1-19	66	72	62	60	46	71	79	66	60	43	60	79	69	54	40
20-39	13	19	23	22	20	16	15	25	22	20	13	12	23	27	19
40-59	4	7	11	12	15	3	5	8	12	15	3	5	7	14	19
60-79	3	1	3	6	13	1	1	1	6	14	3	2	1	3	16
80 or more	14	1	1	0	7	8	0	0	0	7	21	2	0	1	6
50 or more	19	5	8	11	27	11	3	3	12	29	25	6	4	11	32
90 or more	13	1	1	0	1	8	0	0	0	2	18	2	0	1	1
100	13	1	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	18	2	0	0	0
Mean proportion	19	11	16	17	27	14	10	13	17	29	23	10	12	19	30

¹ Quintile limits are \$8,792, \$14,224, \$22,225, and \$37,962 for all units; \$17,512, \$25,595, \$36,019, and \$57,808 for married couples; and \$7,126, \$10,168, \$14,373, and \$22,510 for nonmarried persons.

² Units with zero total income or with negative total income, earnings or income from assets are excluded.

³ Retirement benefits include Social Security benefits, Railroad Retirement, government

employee pensions, and private pensions or annuities.

⁴ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

⁵ Government employee pensions include federal, state, local, and military pensions.

⁶ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

Table VII.1.—Shares of aggregate income of aged units 55 or older by age: Percentage distribution of money income from particular sources of income, 1998

Unit source of income	Age 55-61	Age 62-64	Aged 65 or older					
			Total	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85 or older
Number (in thousands)	11,801	3,997	24,644	6,483	6,179	5,333	3,834	2,815
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percent of income from—								
Retirement benefits	8.0	25.5	56.3	44.6	58.7	63.2	66.3	66.7
Social Security	2.0	12.1	37.6	27.1	38.0	42.9	48.6	51.7
Railroad Retirement .....	.0	.2	.5	.6	.4	.6	.5	.6
Government employee pensions	2.9	6.2	8.4	7.9	8.7	9.2	8.6	7.6
Private pensions or annuities	3.1	7.0	9.8	9.0	11.6	10.5	8.5	6.8
Earnings	80.8	60.6	20.7	36.3	19.9	9.9	6.0	5.5
Income from assets	8.8	11.0	19.9	16.5	18.6	22.6	24.2	25.3
Public assistance .....	.5	.8	.7	.6	.7	.8	.9	.7
Other	1.9	2.1	2.4	2.0	2.1	3.4	2.7	1.7

Table VII.2.—Shares of aggregate income of aged units 65 or older by sex and marital status: Percentage distribution of money income from particular sources of income, 1998

Unit source of income	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women
Number (in thousands)	24,644	10,158	14,487	3,622	10,864
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percent of income from—					
Retirement benefits	56.3	52.8	62.5	58.1	64.5
Social Security	37.6	33.0	45.5	36.4	49.7
Railroad Retirement .....	.5	.5	.6	.8	.5
Government employee pensions	8.4	8.9	7.6	9.5	6.8
Private pensions or annuities	9.8	10.4	8.7	11.3	7.5
Earnings	20.7	25.0	13.3	16.4	11.9
Income from assets	19.9	20.1	19.4	20.6	18.9
Public assistance .....	.7	.3	1.4	.8	1.7
Other	2.4	1.8	3.3	4.1	3.0

Table VII.3.—Shares of aggregate income of aged units 65 or older by sex, marital status, and Social Security beneficiary status: Percentage distribution of money income from particular sources of income, 1998

Unit source of income	All units					Beneficiary units ¹					Nonbeneficiary units				
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women
Number (in thousands)	24,644	10,158	14,487	3,622	10,864	22,257	9,248	13,009	3,152	9,857	2,388	910	1,478	471	1,007
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percent of income from—															
Retirement benefits	56.3	52.8	62.5	58.1	64.5	60.6	57.4	66.2	62.0	68.0	20.0	15.6	28.6	30.7	27.2
Social Security	37.6	33.0	45.5	36.4	49.7	42.0	37.1	50.5	41.6	54.4	.0	.0	.0	.0	.0
Railroad Retirement .....	.5	.5	.6	.8	.5	.2	.2	.2	.2	.1	3.4	2.8	4.4	5.0	3.9
Government employee pensions	8.4	8.9	7.6	9.5	6.8	8.0	8.9	6.5	7.9	5.9	11.7	8.4	17.9	20.4	16.3
Private pensions or annuities	9.8	10.4	8.7	11.3	7.5	10.3	11.1	9.0	12.2	7.6	5.0	4.3	6.3	5.2	6.9
Earnings	20.7	25.0	13.3	16.4	11.9	16.4	20.2	10.0	12.9	8.8	56.9	63.9	43.4	40.8	45.2
Income from assets	19.9	20.1	19.4	20.6	18.9	20.3	20.4	19.9	21.0	19.5	16.4	17.3	14.9	18.1	12.7
Public assistance .....	.7	.3	1.4	.8	1.7	.4	.2	.8	.4	1.0	3.6	1.5	7.5	4.0	9.9
Other	2.4	1.8	3.3	4.1	3.0	2.3	1.9	3.1	3.8	2.8	3.0	1.7	5.5	6.5	4.9

¹ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

Table VII.4.—Shares of aggregate income of aged units 65 or older by sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percentage distribution of money income from particular sources of income, 1998

Unit source of income	White					Black					Hispanic origin ¹				
	All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons			All units	Married couples	Nonmarried persons		
			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women			Total	Men	Women
Number (in thousands)	21,610	9,288	12,322	2,995	9,326	2,332	569	1,763	513	1,250	1,359	507	852	248	603
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percent of income from—															
Retirement benefits	55.8	52.6	61.4	57.1	63.4	70.3	64.7	75.2	67.3	79.1	57.0	55.4	59.0	69.6	54.0
Social Security	37.2	32.8	44.9	35.7	49.1	48.4	42.5	53.7	43.5	58.7	43.4	39.5	48.5	48.6	48.4
Railroad Retirement .....	.5	.5	.6	.9	.5	.7	.6	.7	.7	.7	.5	.0	1.2	2.4	.7
Government employee pensions	8.2	8.7	7.2	8.9	6.5	10.7	10.5	10.9	15.2	8.7	6.5	8.2	4.4	9.1	2.1
Private pensions or annuities	9.9	10.6	8.7	11.6	7.3	10.5	11.1	10.0	8.0	10.9	6.5	7.6	5.0	9.5	2.8
Earnings	20.7	24.6	13.6	16.8	12.2	17.3	25.6	10.0	11.8	9.2	26.5	29.7	22.5	11.2	27.8
Income from assets	20.7	20.8	20.5	21.5	20.1	7.3	6.6	7.9	15.0	4.3	10.2	11.7	8.3	12.9	6.1
Public assistance .....	.5	.2	1.1	.6	1.3	2.5	.8	4.1	1.4	5.5	4.2	1.6	7.5	3.3	9.5
Other	2.4	1.8	3.4	4.1	3.0	2.5	2.3	2.8	4.5	1.9	2.1	1.7	2.7	3.0	2.6

¹ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Table VII.5.—Shares of aggregate income of aged units 65 or older by quintiles of total money income ¹ and marital status: Percentage distribution of money income from particular sources of income, 1998

Unit source of income	Quintiles of total money income														
	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth
Number (in thousands)	4,866	5,001	4,965	4,893	4,919	2,021	2,035	2,037	2,033	2,032	2,904	2,883	2,896	2,910	2,893
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percent of income from—															
Retirement benefits	85.4	87.1	78.7	69.6	38.8	86.4	83.3	73.9	60.5	32.9	81.7	90.4	85.9	73.1	44.3
Social Security	82.1	80.5	63.8	45.2	18.3	81.3	69.7	51.0	33.6	14.1	78.8	86.7	77.3	53.5	22.0
Railroad Retirement .....	.5	.6	.6	1.1	.3	.3	.3	1.1	1.0	.2	.4	.3	.9	.9	.5
Government employee pensions .....	.8	2.1	5.5	10.4	9.9	1.4	4.5	9.2	12.0	9.3	1.0	1.3	2.4	7.9	10.9
Private pensions or annuities	2.0	3.9	8.8	12.9	10.3	3.4	8.9	12.6	13.9	9.4	1.6	2.1	5.3	10.8	11.0
Earnings .....	.7	3.2	7.3	13.1	31.1	5.0	7.6	12.6	22.7	35.6	.6	1.3	3.2	8.0	21.9
Income from assets	2.4	6.1	10.5	13.7	27.9	3.5	7.2	10.6	14.4	29.9	1.9	3.6	7.7	14.5	29.6
Public assistance	9.8	1.8	.7	.2	.0	3.8	.3	.2	.1	.0	14.4	3.0	1.2	.5	.1
Other	1.8	1.8	2.8	3.3	2.1	1.3	1.6	2.7	2.3	1.5	1.4	1.7	1.9	3.9	4.0

¹ Quintile limits are \$8,792, \$14,224, \$22,255, and \$37,962 for all units; \$17,512, \$25,595, \$36,019, and \$57,808 for married couples; and \$7,126, \$10,168, \$14,373, and

\$22,510 for nonmarried persons.

Table VII.6.—Shares of aggregate income of nonmarried persons 65 or older by sex and marital status: Percentage distribution of money income from particular sources of income, 1998

Person source of income	Nonmarried men				Nonmarried women			
	Total ¹	Widowed	Never married	Divorced	Total ¹	Widowed	Never married	Divorced
Number (in thousands)	3,622	1,927	489	893	10,864	8,385	750	1,262
Total percent	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percent of income from—								
Retirement benefits	58.1	61.9	56.9	52.8	64.5	67.7	58.3	53.5
Social Security	36.4	38.5	34.3	34.4	49.7	53.1	37.1	38.7
Railroad Retirement .....	.8	.7	.7	.9	.5	.6	.4	.1
Government employee pensions	9.5	10.2	12.3	7.2	6.8	6.5	10.8	7.1
Private pensions or annuities	11.3	12.5	9.6	10.4	7.5	7.5	10.0	7.6
Earnings	16.4	12.0	13.4	23.3	11.9	8.5	18.7	26.4
Income from assets	20.6	21.9	22.5	18.9	18.9	19.5	18.4	15.1
Public assistance .....	.8	.6	1.8	.7	1.7	1.4	3.0	1.8
Other	4.1	3.6	5.4	4.3	3.0	2.9	1.6	3.2

¹ Includes those who are separated or married but living apart from the spouse.

Table VIII.1.—Family income below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Family poverty status	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
All units															
Number (in thousands)	11,801	3,997	24,644	6,758	2,179	10,158	5,043	1,818	14,487	1,928	635	3,622	3,115	1,184	10,864
Percent—															
Below poverty line	11.5	12.2	12.3	4.8	4.9	5.0	20.4	20.9	17.4	19.4	18.6	13.5	21.0	22.1	18.6
Below 125% of poverty line	14.8	16.6	19.7	6.1	7.3	8.3	26.4	27.8	27.6	23.6	25.0	22.2	28.1	29.2	29.4
Beneficiary units ²															
Number (in thousands)	1,478	2,141	22,257	731	1,133	9,248	748	1,008	13,009	270	339	3,152	478	669	9,857
Percent—															
Below poverty line	20.6	12.3	10.4	12.4	5.3	3.2	28.7	20.3	15.5	26.7	18.7	11.2	29.8	21.0	16.9
Below 125% of poverty line	30.5	18.5	18.1	16.6	8.1	6.5	44.1	30.1	26.3	42.0	29.4	20.5	45.3	30.4	28.2
Nonbeneficiary units															
Number (in thousands)	10,323	1,856	2,388	6,027	1,046	910	4,296	810	1,478	1,658	296	471	2,637	514	1,007
Percent—															
Below poverty line	10.1	12.0	29.8	3.8	4.5	23.2	19.0	21.6	33.9	18.3	18.5	29.4	19.5	23.4	35.9
Below 125% of poverty line	12.5	14.5	34.1	4.8	6.4	26.3	23.3	24.9	38.9	20.6	20.0	33.6	25.0	27.7	41.3
Live with other family members															
Number (in thousands)	4,531	1,177	5,601	2,625	591	1,679	1,906	586	3,923	642	185	946	1,263	401	2,977
Percent—															
Below poverty line	8.4	9.1	8.3	4.1	5.6	6.2	14.2	12.6	9.3	13.1	9.3	5.8	14.8	14.1	10.4
Below 125% of poverty line	11.5	12.5	12.8	5.7	8.9	9.2	19.4	16.1	14.4	14.8	11.8	9.1	21.7	18.0	16.0
Live with no family members															
Number (in thousands)	7,270	2,820	19,043	4,132	1,588	8,479	3,138	1,233	10,564	1,286	450	2,676	1,852	783	7,888
Percent—															
Below poverty line	13.4	13.5	13.4	5.2	4.6	4.8	24.2	24.8	20.4	22.6	22.5	16.3	25.3	26.1	21.7
Below 125% of poverty line	16.8	18.3	21.7	6.3	6.7	8.1	30.6	33.3	32.5	28.0	30.5	26.8	32.4	35.0	34.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table VIII.1.—Family income below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged units 55 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Family poverty status	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	White														
Number (in thousands)	9,929	3,374	21,610	5,984	1,977	9,288	3,945	1,397	12,322	1,541	484	2,995	2,404	912	9,326
Percent—															
Below poverty line	9.8	9.9	10.4	4.6	4.3	4.4	17.8	17.9	15.0	15.4	17.0	10.8	19.4	18.3	16.3
Below 125% of poverty line	12.8	14.0	17.3	5.6	6.7	7.3	23.9	24.4	24.8	19.6	22.1	19.3	26.6	25.6	26.6
	Black														
Number (in thousands)	1,379	490	2,332	436	142	569	944	348	1,763	332	118	513	612	231	1,250
Percent—															
Below poverty line	24.5	27.5	29.0	6.4	10.5	12.8	32.9	34.4	34.2	38.9	25.6	29.0	29.6	38.9	36.3
Below 125% of poverty line	29.9	34.6	41.8	10.8	12.3	22.3	38.7	43.7	48.1	43.6	38.7	38.8	36.1	46.3	51.9
	Hispanic origin ³														
Number (in thousands)	933	281	1,359	417	134	507	517	147	852	192	49	248	325	98	603
Percent—															
Below poverty line	19.3	19.7	22.5	11.2	7.6	14.6	25.9	30.7	27.2	14.1	(⁴)	16.8	32.9	28.8	31.5
Below 125% of poverty line	23.6	25.9	33.8	15.8	11.3	26.2	29.8	39.2	38.3	18.3	(⁴)	28.5	36.6	34.9	42.3

¹ The family money income of aged units is compared with the official poverty lines of families in 1998.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or

survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

³ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

⁴ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

Table VIII.2.—Family income below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Family poverty status	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older
All units															
Number (in thousands)	12,662	9,167	2,815	6,247	3,422	488	6,415	5,744	2,327	1,825	1,283	515	4,590	4,462	1,812
Percent—															
Below poverty line	11.1	13.1	14.8	4.6	5.7	6.0	17.4	17.6	16.6	15.5	12.5	9.1	18.2	19.0	18.7
Below 125% of poverty line	17.9	20.7	24.1	7.5	9.2	11.8	28.0	27.6	26.7	25.1	21.3	14.1	29.1	29.4	30.3
Beneficiary units ²															
Number (in thousands)	11,136	8,546	2,575	5,559	3,225	463	5,577	5,321	2,111	1,518	1,170	463	4,059	4,151	1,648
Percent—															
Below poverty line	9.1	11.5	12.3	2.9	3.8	3.2	15.4	16.1	14.3	12.5	10.5	8.5	16.4	17.7	15.9
Below 125% of poverty line	16.4	19.1	22.1	5.9	7.2	9.3	26.9	26.4	24.9	23.2	19.5	14.0	28.3	28.3	28.0
Nonbeneficiary units															
Number (in thousands)	1,526	621	241	688	197	25	838	423	216	307	112	52	531	311	165
Percent—															
Below poverty line	25.5	36.0	41.2	18.4	35.5	(³)	31.3	36.2	39.3	30.2	33.7	(³)	31.9	37.1	47.0
Below 125% of poverty line	28.6	42.9	45.8	20.5	42.5	(³)	35.3	43.1	44.4	34.4	39.8	(³)	35.8	44.3	53.7
Live with other family members															
Number (in thousands)	3,031	1,837	733	1,194	417	67	1,837	1,420	665	438	346	161	1,399	1,074	504
Percent—															
Below poverty line	9.0	7.9	6.6	5.5	6.8	(³)	11.3	8.3	5.8	6.1	5.6	5.0	12.9	9.1	6.1
Below 125% of poverty line	13.9	12.4	9.2	8.3	10.3	(³)	17.6	13.0	8.4	9.1	11.1	5.0	20.2	13.7	9.5
Live with no family members															
Number (in thousands)	9,631	7,329	2,083	5,053	3,005	421	4,578	4,324	1,662	1,387	936	354	3,191	3,388	1,308
Percent—															
Below poverty line	11.8	14.4	17.6	4.4	5.5	4.6	19.9	20.6	20.9	18.5	15.1	11.0	20.5	22.2	23.6
Below 125% of poverty line	19.1	22.8	29.3	7.3	9.1	10.8	32.2	32.4	34.0	30.1	25.0	18.2	33.0	34.4	38.3

See footnotes at end of table.

Table VIII.2.—Family income below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged units 65 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Family poverty status	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older
White															
Number (in thousands)	10,924	8,197	2,489	5,688	3,156	444	5,236	5,041	2,044	1,469	1,105	422	3,767	3,936	1,623
Percent—															
Below poverty line	8.9	11.4	13.8	4.0	4.8	6.6	14.2	15.6	15.4	12.8	9.5	7.2	14.7	17.3	17.5
Below 125% of poverty line	15.1	18.6	22.6	6.7	7.7	11.0	24.2	25.4	25.2	22.3	18.0	12.3	24.9	27.4	28.5
Black															
Number (in thousands)	1,307	765	260	371	167	31	936	598	229	291	159	63	645	439	166
Percent—															
Below poverty line	29.1	29.9	25.5	12.0	16.9	(³)	35.9	33.5	29.0	28.6	31.0	(³)	39.2	34.5	30.0
Below 125% of poverty line	41.8	42.5	39.7	18.3	31.7	(³)	51.2	45.5	42.4	38.9	41.2	(³)	56.7	47.1	46.2
Hispanic origin ⁴															
Number (in thousands)	856	394	109	354	139	14	502	255	95	154	60	34	349	195	60
Percent—															
Below poverty line	22.6	24.5	15.1	14.9	12.9	(³)	28.0	30.8	13.8	15.3	(³)	(³)	33.5	33.2	(³)
Below 125% of poverty line	34.1	36.4	21.9	26.6	25.5	(³)	39.4	42.4	21.3	27.5	(³)	(³)	44.7	45.1	(³)

¹ The family money income of aged units is compared with the official poverty lines of families in 1998.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or

survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

³ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

⁴ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Table VIII.3.—Family income below the poverty line ¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line of nonmarried persons by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of persons aged 55 or older, 1998

Family poverty status	Nonmarried men									Nonmarried women								
	Widowed			Never married			Divorced			Widowed			Never married			Divorced		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
All units																		
Number (in thousands)	195	115	1,927	458	138	489	996	293	893	907	580	8,385	447	146	750	1,435	385	1,262
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	18.4	23.0	10.3	27.0	26.7	20.6	16.2	13.7	16.1	21.1	21.2	16.8	24.7	26.9	24.2	16.8	19.6	22.7
Below 125% of poverty line	20.9	34.5	16.7	29.4	28.3	33.4	21.8	17.4	28.4	30.5	27.9	27.8	32.8	31.9	35.4	22.7	29.2	32.7
Beneficiary units ²																		
Number (in thousands)	34	72	1,755	71	67	406	134	156	754	199	421	7,719	74	44	640	168	178	1,103
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	(³)	(³)	9.0	(³)	(³)	15.1	17.3	12.9	14.1	24.6	23.0	15.1	(³)	(³)	20.5	27.8	19.1	21.4
Below 125% of poverty line	(³)	(³)	15.6	(³)	(³)	30.4	44.2	19.8	27.3	42.5	28.7	26.4	(³)	(³)	33.1	43.0	36.7	32.3
Nonbeneficiary units																		
Number (in thousands)	161	43	173	388	71	82	861	137	139	709	159	666	373	102	110	1,266	206	160
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	20.4	(³)	23.8	24.6	(³)	47.7	16.1	14.6	27.2	20.1	16.6	36.7	22.4	34.9	46.1	15.4	20.0	32.0
Below 125% of poverty line	22.1	(³)	28.0	26.7	(³)	47.7	18.3	14.7	34.2	27.2	25.7	43.4	28.7	36.8	49.1	20.0	22.8	35.5
Live with other family members																		
Number (in thousands)	101	36	533	161	39	124	268	72	183	418	192	2,288	176	60	185	533	111	338
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	12.5	(³)	5.0	23.8	(³)	3.5	8.7	(³)	7.4	14.4	16.0	8.3	15.9	(³)	15.5	11.6	14.5	16.4
Below 125% of poverty line	12.5	(³)	6.8	25.1	(³)	10.0	12.0	(³)	11.7	26.6	21.1	13.5	19.3	(³)	24.7	17.1	19.8	21.9
Live with no family members																		
Number (in thousands)	94	79	1,394	298	99	364	727	221	710	489	388	6,097	271	86	565	902	274	925
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	24.8	33.3	12.4	28.7	29.2	26.5	19.0	16.4	18.4	26.7	23.8	20.0	30.5	37.3	27.1	19.9	21.7	25.0
Below 125% of poverty line	29.9	50.0	20.5	31.7	29.2	41.3	25.3	21.3	32.7	33.9	31.2	33.1	41.5	45.7	38.9	26.0	33.1	36.6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table VIII.3.—Family income below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line of nonmarried persons by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of persons aged 55 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Family poverty status	Nonmarried men									Nonmarried women								
	Widowed			Never married			Divorced			Widowed			Never married			Divorced		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
White																		
Number (in thousands)	145	87	1,618	351	111	396	839	234	736	705	453	7,280	312	116	621	1,172	307	1,076
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	17.4	16.4	7.5	20.7	26.1	19.9	13.1	12.8	14.0	18.1	16.4	14.7	24.7	31.0	21.9	16.0	15.2	20.2
Below 125% of poverty line	19.3	25.2	14.2	23.6	28.1	31.6	18.2	17.4	25.2	27.2	23.1	25.3	32.4	35.6	30.7	22.4	24.9	29.8
Black																		
Number (in thousands)	43	21	263	98	24	76	131	48	137	173	103	904	121	30	109	218	75	152
Percent—	(³)	(³)	26.7	51.4	(³)	21.7	34.6	(³)	30.0	32.5	43.6	34.1	27.2	(³)	38.0	24.2	(³)	42.1
Below poverty line	(³)	(³)	31.6	52.4	(³)	41.7	43.9	(³)	45.2	44.4	49.5	48.5	34.3	(³)	63.0	28.6	(³)	55.2
Below 125% of poverty line																		
Hispanic origin ⁴																		
Number (in thousands)	12	7	105	31	9	21	91	13	67	78	39	412	74	19	55	101	29	91
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	(³)	(³)	20.8	(³)	(³)	(³)	13.6	(³)	(³)	25.8	(³)	31.2	(³)	(³)	(³)	25.3	(³)	30.8
Below 125% of poverty line	(³)	(³)	30.9	(³)	(³)	(³)	19.3	(³)	(³)	30.6	(³)	42.1	(³)	(³)	(³)	31.1	(³)	40.7

¹ The family money income of aged units is compared with the official poverty lines of families in 1998.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or

survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

³ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

⁴ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Table VIII.4.—Family income below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line of nonmarried persons by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of persons aged 65 or older, 1998

Family poverty status	Nonmarried men									Nonmarried women								
	Widowed			Never married			Divorced			Widowed			Never married			Divorced		
	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older
	All units																	
Number (in thousands)	705	815	407	277	188	24	656	195	42	3,074	3,731	1,581	385	262	104	856	334	73
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	11.2	10.6	8.2	20.8	18.6	(2)	17.7	13.0	(2)	15.6	17.7	17.3	21.0	30.1	21.4	22.7	19.9	(2)
Below 125% of poverty line	16.6	17.9	14.4	35.8	29.6	(2)	30.2	26.9	(2)	27.2	27.8	28.9	32.9	41.3	30.1	30.8	34.0	(2)
	Beneficiary units ³																	
Number (in thousands)	622	749	383	230	161	15	536	182	36	2,794	3,487	1,439	322	226	92	732	305	65
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	8.8	9.3	8.7	15.2	14.4	(2)	15.9	10.3	(2)	13.9	16.5	14.3	18.2	26.1	14.6	20.9	19.2	(2)
Below 125% of poverty line	14.5	16.7	15.3	33.3	27.2	(2)	29.3	25.2	(2)	26.1	26.7	26.4	31.6	39.1	23.2	30.0	33.6	(2)
	Nonbeneficiary units																	
Number (in thousands)	83	66	24	47	27	9	120	12	6	279	244	142	63	36	11	124	29	7
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	28.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	25.9	(2)	(2)	33.0	35.1	46.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	33.3	(2)	(2)
Below 125% of poverty line	32.5	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	34.0	(2)	(2)	38.4	43.0	53.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	35.3	(2)	(2)
	Live with other family members																	
Number (in thousands)	194	220	119	64	57	4	112	51	19	947	896	445	109	46	31	233	85	20
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	3.8	6.2	4.6	(2)	(2)	(2)	8.4	(2)	(2)	10.1	8.1	5.3	19.2	(2)	(2)	18.2	11.9	(2)
Below 125% of poverty line	4.5	10.0	4.6	(2)	(2)	(2)	10.0	(2)	(2)	17.6	11.6	8.7	25.4	(2)	(2)	23.7	18.8	(2)
	Live with no family members																	
Number (in thousands)	511	595	288	213	131	20	545	143	23	2,127	2,835	1,136	276	216	73	622	249	53
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	14.0	12.3	9.7	24.9	26.6	(2)	19.7	14.7	(2)	18.1	20.7	22.0	21.7	34.7	(2)	24.4	22.7	(2)
Below 125% of poverty line	21.1	20.8	18.5	41.5	41.0	(2)	34.3	29.6	(2)	31.5	32.9	36.8	35.8	44.5	(2)	33.5	39.2	(2)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table VIII.4.—Family income below the poverty line ¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line of nonmarried persons by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of persons aged 65 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Family poverty status	Nonmarried men									Nonmarried women								
	Widowed			Never married			Divorced			Widowed			Never married			Divorced		
	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older
White																		
Number (in thousands)	567	712	340	212	163	21	551	151	33	2,559	3,308	1,413	296	229	96	726	286	64
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	9.0	6.7	6.4	17.5	20.3	(²)	16.1	9.4	(²)	12.5	15.9	16.2	16.5	30.5	17.8	19.1	19.5	(²)
Below 125% of poverty line	14.5	14.6	12.7	32.2	29.9	(²)	27.7	20.9	(²)	23.4	26.1	27.1	26.0	39.5	24.1	27.2	31.9	(²)
Black																		
Number (in thousands)	114	95	54	54	22	0	93	38	6	403	352	148	72	29	7	108	37	8
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	20.5	37.0	(²)	(²)	(²)	.0	29.7	(²)	(²)	36.8	34.1	27.0	(²)	(²)	(²)	46.7	(²)	(²)
Below 125% of poverty line	26.6	39.5	(²)	(²)	(²)	.0	42.5	(²)	(²)	55.9	42.2	43.0	(²)	(²)	(²)	54.3	(²)	(²)
Hispanic origin ⁴																		
Number (in thousands)	42	38	26	15	4	1	56	7	5	217	145	50	35	12	8	69	22	1
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	34.1	31.6	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
Below 125% of poverty line	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	45.0	44.7	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)

¹ The family money income of aged units is compared with the official poverty lines of families in 1998.

² Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

³ Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

⁴ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Table VIII.5.—Family income below the poverty line,¹ with and without Social Security benefits, by age, sex, marital status, race, Hispanic origin, and living arrangements: Percent of aged units 65 or older who receive Social Security benefits, 1998

Family poverty status	Beneficiaries aged 65 or older																			
	All units								Nonmarried persons											
	All units				Married couples				Total				Men				Women			
	Total	65-74	75-84	85 or older	Total	65-74	75-84	85 or older	Total	65-74	75-84	85 or older	Total	65-74	75-84	85 or older	Total	65-74	75-84	85 or older
	All units																			
Number (in thousands)	22,257	11,136	8,546	2,575	9,248	5,559	3,225	463	13,009	5,577	5,321	2,111	3,152	1,518	1,170	463	9,857	4,059	4,151	1,648
Percent—																				
Below poverty line	10.4	9.1	11.5	12.3	3.2	2.9	3.8	3.2	15.5	15.4	16.1	14.3	11.2	12.5	10.5	8.5	16.9	16.4	17.7	15.9
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	39.0	33.5	43.3	49.1	34.1	28.8	41.0	48.7	42.6	38.1	44.7	49.1	38.5	36.3	39.8	42.3	43.9	38.8	46.1	51.1
Total below poverty without Social Security	49.4	42.6	54.8	61.3	37.3	31.7	44.8	51.9	58.1	53.5	60.8	63.4	49.7	48.8	50.3	50.8	60.8	55.2	63.8	67.0
	White																			
Number (in thousands)	19,794	9,765	7,745	2,284	8,514	5,098	2,996	420	11,280	4,667	4,749	1,864	2,680	1,259	1,036	385	8,600	3,407	3,713	1,480
Percent—																				
Below poverty line	8.8	7.3	10.0	11.1	2.7	2.4	3.1	3.5	13.4	12.6	14.3	12.8	9.4	11.2	8.3	6.5	14.6	13.2	16.0	14.4
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	39.3	33.3	43.9	49.4	33.8	28.7	40.8	46.7	43.4	38.3	45.8	50.0	37.7	34.8	40.0	40.7	45.2	39.5	47.5	52.4
Total below poverty without Social Security	48.1	40.5	53.9	60.5	36.5	31.0	43.9	50.2	56.8	50.9	60.2	62.8	47.1	46.0	48.4	47.3	59.8	52.7	63.5	66.8
	Black																			
Number (in thousands)	2,016	1,104	670	242	529	340	158	31	1,487	764	512	211	404	221	125	57	1,083	543	387	154
Percent—																				
Below poverty line	26.7	26.0	28.6	24.9	11.8	10.9	16.0	(2)	32.1	32.8	32.5	28.6	23.2	19.5	28.9	(2)	35.4	38.2	33.6	30.0
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	39.7	37.1	39.3	52.4	40.6	32.3	49.4	(2)	39.3	39.2	36.2	47.5	46.9	47.9	36.2	(2)	36.5	35.7	36.2	40.2
Total below poverty without Social Security	66.4	63.1	67.9	77.3	52.4	43.3	65.4	(2)	71.4	72.0	68.6	76.0	70.1	67.4	65.1	(2)	71.9	73.8	69.8	70.2
	Hispanic origin ³																			
Number (in thousands)	1,032	635	313	84	396	261	122	13	637	374	191	72	198	120	50	28	439	253	141	44
Percent—																				
Below poverty line	20.0	20.5	20.5	13.7	11.9	12.1	9.7	(2)	25.0	26.3	27.4	(2)	17.5	15.7	(2)	(2)	28.4	31.4	28.2	(2)
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	38.0	36.3	41.8	36.1	47.5	45.2	52.0	(2)	32.0	30.1	35.3	(2)	31.8	35.5	(2)	(2)	32.1	27.6	38.7	(2)
Total below poverty without Social Security	57.9	56.8	62.3	49.8	59.4	57.3	61.7	(2)	57.0	56.5	62.7	(2)	49.2	51.2	(2)	(2)	60.5	59.0	66.9	(2)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table VIII.5.—Family income below the poverty line,¹ with and without Social Security benefits, by age, sex, marital status, race, Hispanic origin, and living arrangements: Percent of aged units 65 or older who receive Social Security benefits, 1998— *Continued*

Family poverty status	Beneficiaries aged 65 or older															
	All units				Married couples				Nonmarried persons							
									Total				Men			
	Total	65-74	75-84	85 or older	Total	65-74	75-84	85 or older	Total	65-74	75-84	85 or older	Total	65-74	75-84	85 or older
	Live with other family members															
Number (in thousands)	4,697	2,469	1,613	616	1,418	981	373	64	3,279	1,488	1,240	552	766	343	295	128
Percent—																
Below poverty line	7.0	7.5	7.1	4.6	5.2	4.8	5.3	(2)	7.8	9.3	7.6	3.9	4.4	4.7	4.1	4.3
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	21.9	20.3	21.7	28.6	17.2	15.4	20.5	(2)	23.9	23.6	22.0	29.0	24.0	27.3	20.0	24.2
Total below poverty without Social Security	28.9	27.9	28.7	33.2	22.4	20.2	25.8	(2)	31.7	32.9	29.6	32.9	28.4	32.0	24.1	28.6
	Live with no family members															
Number (in thousands)	17,559	8,667	6,934	1,959	7,830	4,578	2,852	400	9,730	4,089	4,081	1,559	2,386	1,175	875	336
Percent—																
Below poverty line	11.3	9.6	12.5	14.7	2.9	2.5	3.6	1.9	18.1	17.5	18.7	17.9	13.4	14.8	12.7	10.0
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	43.6	37.2	48.4	55.5	37.1	31.7	43.7	52.6	48.9	43.4	51.6	56.3	43.2	38.9	46.5	49.2
Total below poverty without Social Security	54.9	46.8	60.8	70.2	40.0	34.2	47.3	54.5	67.0	60.9	70.3	74.2	56.5	53.7	59.2	59.3

¹ The money income of families containing aged units is compared with the official poverty lines of families in 1996.

² Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

³ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Table VIII.6.—Family income and income of aged units below the poverty line and 125 percent of the poverty line ¹ by marital status and receipt of various sources: Percent of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Unit retirement benefits	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
Percent of units whose family income is below the poverty line															
Total	12	3	15	5	24	5	2	7	3	12	17	6	19	7	29
No benefit	37	10	53	21	45	27	7	59	17	39	42	15	51	26	47
One benefit	17	4	21	9	28	8	3	11	5	14	22	6	24	11	32
Social Security only ²	17	4	21	8	28	7	3	9	4	12	22	6	24	11	32
Private pension or annuity only	27	1	50	20	(³)	29	(³)	(³)	25	(³)	25	(³)	40	(³)	(³)
Government employee pension only ⁴	3	3	3	3	(³)	3	(³)	(³)	2	(³)	3	(³)	4	3	(³)
Railroad Retirement only	18	(³)	20	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)
More than one benefit ⁵	2	0	2	1	4	0	0	1	0	1	3	1	3	2	6
Social Security and federal pension only	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	(³)	1	(³)	1	1	2
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state/local, or military pension only	2	1	2	1	6	0	0	0	0	1	4	3	4	2	9
Social Security and private pension only	2	0	2	1	4	1	0	1	0	1	3	0	3	2	6
Three or more benefit types	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	(³)	1	(³)	1	0	(³)

See footnotes at end of table.

Table VIII.6.—Family income and income of aged units below the poverty line and 125 percent of the poverty line ¹ by marital status and receipt of various sources: Percent of aged units 65 or older, 1998—*Continued*

Unit retirement benefits	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
Percent of units whose own income is below the one- or two-person poverty ⁶ line															
Total	17	4	21	6	35	5	2	7	3	13	25	7	28	10	44
No benefit	58	12	86	29	73	33	9	73	19	51	71	16	89	42	80
One benefit	23	4	28	10	39	7	2	10	5	13	31	6	34	14	47
Social Security only ²	23	4	28	10	39	7	2	9	4	12	31	7	35	14	47
Private pension or annuity only	31	1	58	20	(³)	29	(³)	(³)	25	(³)	33	(³)	54	(³)	(³)
Government employee pension only ⁴	6	6	6	3	(³)	3	(³)	(³)	2	(³)	8	(³)	8	3	(³)
Railroad Retirement only	23	(³)	26	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)	(³)
More than one benefit ⁵	2	0	2	1	5	0	0	1	0	1	3	1	4	2	8
Social Security and federal pension only	2	2	2	1	5	0	0	0	0	(³)	5	(³)	4	3	8
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, state/local, or military pension only	2	1	3	1	8	0	0	0	0	1	5	3	5	2	12
Social Security and private pension only	2	0	2	1	4	1	0	1	0	1	3	0	4	2	7
Three or more benefit types	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	(³)	1	(³)	1	0	(³)

¹ See table III.6 for frequency counts.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

³ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

⁴ Includes federal, state, local, and military pensions.

⁵ Includes a small number with combinations of pensions not listed.

⁶ The money income of aged married and nonmarried persons is compared with the official poverty income lines for aged couples or nonmarried persons living alone, whether or not, in fact, they do so. In 1998, the poverty line was \$9,862 for a two-person unit aged 65 or older, and \$7,818 for one person aged 65 or older.

Note: The poverty rates in the 1996 edition were in error.
See corrected table on page 160.

Table VIII.7.—Income of aged units below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line for one or two persons by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged units 55 or older, 1998

Unit poverty status	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
All units															
Number (in thousands)	11,801	3,997	24,644	6,758	2,179	10,158	5,043	1,818	14,487	1,928	635	3,622	3,115	1,184	10,864
Percent—															
Below poverty line	15.0	16.2	17.0	5.3	6.5	5.2	27.8	27.8	25.2	24.7	21.9	19.7	29.8	30.9	27.1
Below 125% of poverty line	18.5	22.4	25.6	6.7	9.4	8.7	34.2	38.0	37.6	30.6	31.9	31.3	36.5	41.3	39.7
Beneficiary units ²															
Number (in thousands)	1,478	2,141	22,257	731	1,133	9,248	748	1,008	13,009	270	339	3,152	478	669	9,857
Percent—															
Below poverty line	26.1	15.4	13.9	12.2	5.9	3.0	39.6	26.0	21.7	40.5	21.3	15.9	39.2	28.3	23.5
Below 125% of poverty line	37.1	24.6	23.1	16.9	9.7	6.6	56.9	41.4	34.9	60.4	39.0	28.2	54.9	42.7	37.1
Nonbeneficiary units															
Number (in thousands)	10,323	1,856	2,388	6,027	1,046	910	4,296	810	1,478	1,658	296	471	2,637	514	1,007
Percent—															
Below poverty line	13.4	17.1	45.6	4.5	7.1	27.5	25.8	30.1	56.8	22.1	22.7	45.3	28.1	34.3	62.1
Below 125% of poverty line	15.8	19.8	49.1	5.5	9.0	30.1	30.3	33.7	60.8	25.7	23.7	51.5	33.2	39.4	65.1
Live with other family members															
Number (in thousands)	4,531	1,177	5,601	2,625	591	1,679	1,906	586	3,923	642	185	946	1,263	401	2,977
Percent—															
Below poverty line	17.4	22.5	29.2	5.5	11.1	7.6	33.9	34.1	38.4	28.8	20.6	29.4	36.4	40.3	41.3
Below 125% of poverty line	21.2	31.9	39.5	7.4	16.1	12.6	40.2	47.8	51.1	35.7	35.3	43.9	42.5	53.6	53.3
Live with no family members															
Number (in thousands)	7,270	2,820	19,043	4,132	1,588	8,479	3,138	1,233	10,564	1,286	450	2,676	1,852	783	7,888
Percent—															
Below poverty line	13.4	13.5	13.4	5.2	4.8	4.8	24.2	24.8	20.4	22.6	22.5	16.3	25.3	26.1	21.7
Below 125% of poverty line	16.8	18.4	21.6	6.3	6.8	7.9	30.6	33.3	32.5	28.0	30.5	26.8	32.4	35.0	34.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table VIII.7.—Income of aged units below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line for one or two persons by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged units 55 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Unit poverty status	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
White															
Number (in thousands)	9,929	3,374	21,610	5,984	1,977	9,288	3,945	1,397	12,322	1,541	484	2,995	2,404	912	9,326
Percent—															
Below poverty line	12.7	12.9	13.9	5.0	5.1	4.5	24.3	23.8	21.1	19.4	19.7	14.9	27.3	26.0	23.1
Below 125% of poverty line	16.0	18.1	21.9	6.2	7.6	7.5	30.7	33.0	32.8	25.0	27.5	25.8	34.3	35.8	35.0
Black															
Number (in thousands)	1,379	490	2,332	436	142	569	944	348	1,763	332	118	513	612	231	1,250
Percent—															
Below poverty line	30.5	33.0	40.7	6.1	18.1	12.7	41.8	39.1	49.8	49.0	25.6	40.2	37.9	45.9	53.8
Below 125% of poverty line	36.1	44.8	55.4	9.0	23.4	22.6	48.6	53.6	66.0	56.6	46.2	55.4	44.3	57.3	70.4
Hispanic origin ³															
Number (in thousands)	933	281	1,359	417	134	507	517	147	852	192	49	248	325	98	603
Percent—															
Below poverty line	30.4	31.1	39.0	11.6	11.6	16.0	45.5	48.9	52.7	29.6	(⁴)	32.1	55.0	56.8	61.1
Below 125% of poverty line	36.5	39.1	53.3	18.5	15.4	27.3	51.0	60.7	68.9	37.1	(⁴)	52.1	59.3	63.3	75.8

¹ The money income of aged married couples and nonmarried persons is compared with the official poverty line for aged couples or nonmarried persons living alone, whether or not, in fact, they do so. In 1998, the poverty line was \$9,862 for a two-person unit aged 65 or older, \$7,818 for one person aged 65 or older, and \$10,972 and \$8,480 for two- and one-person units, respectively, under 65.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

³ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

⁴ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

Table VIII.8.—Income of aged units below the poverty line ¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line for one or two persons by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged units 65 or older, 1998

Unit poverty status	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older
All units															
Number (in thousands)	12,662	9,167	2,815	6,247	3,422	488	6,415	5,744	2,327	1,825	1,283	515	4,590	4,462	1,812
Percent—															
Below poverty line	14.9	17.5	24.6	4.7	6.3	4.8	24.9	24.2	28.7	20.5	18.1	21.0	26.6	26.0	30.9
Below 125% of poverty line	22.5	26.5	36.8	7.7	10.0	11.1	37.0	36.4	42.2	33.6	28.2	30.5	38.3	38.7	45.5
Beneficiary units ²															
Number (in thousands)	11,136	8,546	2,575	5,559	3,225	463	5,577	5,321	2,111	1,518	1,170	463	4,059	4,151	1,648
Percent—															
Below poverty line	11.9	14.6	20.4	2.6	4.0	2.0	21.2	21.1	24.4	16.8	14.5	16.4	22.8	22.9	26.7
Below 125% of poverty line	20.2	23.9	33.4	5.8	7.7	8.6	34.6	33.7	38.8	31.3	24.8	27.0	35.8	36.3	42.2
Nonbeneficiary units															
Number (in thousands)	1,526	621	241	688	197	25	838	423	216	307	112	52	531	311	165
Percent—															
Below poverty line	37.0	57.6	69.3	21.8	43.5	(³)	49.5	64.2	70.6	38.9	55.0	(³)	55.6	67.5	73.2
Below 125% of poverty line	39.8	62.8	73.2	23.7	49.0	(³)	53.0	69.2	74.9	45.4	63.6	(³)	57.3	71.2	78.9
Live with other family members															
Number (in thousands)	3,031	1,837	733	1,194	417	67	1,837	1,420	665	438	346	161	1,399	1,074	504
Percent—															
Below poverty line	25.0	29.9	44.4	6.1	12.0	(³)	37.3	35.2	48.2	26.9	26.1	43.0	40.5	38.2	49.9
Below 125% of poverty line	34.0	41.4	57.9	11.0	17.2	(³)	48.9	48.4	62.5	44.7	36.7	57.4	50.3	52.2	64.1
Live with no family members															
Number (in thousands)	9,631	7,329	2,083	5,053	3,005	421	4,578	4,324	1,662	1,387	936	354	3,191	3,388	1,308
Percent—															
Below poverty line	11.7	14.4	17.6	4.4	5.5	4.6	19.9	20.6	20.9	18.5	15.1	11.0	20.5	22.2	23.6
Below 125% of poverty line	18.9	22.8	29.3	7.0	9.0	10.8	32.2	32.4	34.0	30.1	25.0	18.2	33.0	34.4	38.3

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Table VIII.8.—Income of aged units below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line for one or two persons by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged units 65 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Unit poverty status	All units			Married couples			Nonmarried persons								
							Total			Men			Women		
	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older
White															
Number (in thousands)	10,924	8,197	2,489	5,688	3,156	444	5,236	5,041	2,044	1,469	1,105	422	3,767	3,936	1,623
Percent—															
Below poverty line	11.6	14.6	22.1	4.0	5.2	5.3	19.9	20.5	25.8	15.9	13.5	15.2	21.4	22.4	28.5
Below 125% of poverty line	18.4	23.2	33.1	6.7	8.6	10.2	31.1	32.3	38.1	28.0	23.9	23.1	32.3	34.7	42.1
Black															
Number (in thousands)	1,307	765	260	371	167	31	936	598	229	291	159	63	645	439	166
Percent—															
Below poverty line	38.2	43.6	45.2	11.6	17.5	(³)	48.7	50.9	51.4	37.7	44.6	(³)	53.7	53.1	55.6
Below 125% of poverty line	52.6	57.3	63.9	19.9	29.0	(³)	65.5	65.2	69.8	56.2	53.9	(³)	69.7	69.4	75.3
Hispanic origin ⁴															
Number (in thousands)	856	394	109	354	139	14	502	255	95	154	60	34	349	195	60
Percent—															
Below poverty line	36.4	41.5	50.2	16.4	15.6	(³)	50.5	55.7	56.2	26.5	(³)	(³)	61.0	61.3	(³)
Below 125% of poverty line	50.2	55.3	70.5	26.5	29.4	(³)	67.0	69.5	77.2	48.9	(³)	(³)	74.9	77.0	(³)

¹ The money income of aged married couples and nonmarried persons is compared with the official poverty line for aged couples or nonmarried persons living alone, whether or not, in fact, they do so. In 1998, the poverty line was \$9,862 for a two-person unit aged 65 or older, \$7,818 for one person aged 65 or older, and \$10,972 and \$8,480 for two- and one-person units, respectively, under 65.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

³ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

⁴ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Table VIII.9.—Income of nonmarried persons below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of persons aged 55 or older, 1998

Person poverty status	Nonmarried men									Nonmarried women								
	Widowed			Never married			Divorced			Widowed			Never married			Divorced		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
	All units																	
Number (in thousands)	195	115	1,927	458	138	489	996	293	893	907	580	8,385	447	146	750	1,435	385	1,262
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	21.5	25.0	16.3	36.2	29.6	25.5	19.8	16.0	21.3	32.5	29.2	25.2	30.9	38.1	34.3	23.8	25.1	29.7
Below 125% of poverty line	26.8	42.1	25.9	40.7	34.3	42.9	26.5	22.8	36.0	40.3	40.3	38.2	40.9	45.5	45.7	29.2	34.8	40.8
	Beneficiary units ²																	
Number (in thousands)	34	72	1,755	71	67	406	134	156	754	199	421	7,719	74	44	640	168	178	1,103
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	(³)	(³)	13.4	(³)	(³)	19.4	23.8	15.2	18.8	32.2	28.9	21.5	(³)	(³)	30.3	41.5	27.1	27.6
Below 125% of poverty line	(³)	(³)	23.1	(³)	(³)	38.9	54.3	28.0	35.1	51.1	40.0	35.3	(³)	(³)	43.0	51.8	44.4	40.1
	Nonbeneficiary units																	
Number (in thousands)	161	43	173	388	71	82	861	137	139	709	159	666	373	102	110	1,266	206	160
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	19.9	(³)	45.8	31.0	(³)	55.9	19.2	16.8	35.1	32.6	29.9	67.7	29.0	47.1	57.4	21.4	23.3	44.0
Below 125% of poverty line	25.1	(³)	53.7	34.3	(³)	62.5	22.1	16.8	40.9	37.2	41.0	71.4	36.1	48.9	60.9	26.2	26.6	45.6
	Live with other family members																	
Number (in thousands)	101	36	533	161	39	124	268	72	183	418	192	2,288	176	60	185	533	111	338
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	18.4	(³)	26.6	50.0	(³)	22.7	22.0	(³)	32.9	39.3	39.8	38.8	31.6	(³)	56.2	30.4	33.5	42.5
Below 125% of poverty line	23.9	(³)	40.0	57.2	(³)	47.6	29.5	(³)	49.1	47.7	58.6	51.6	39.9	(³)	66.1	34.6	39.3	52.2
	Live with no family members																	
Number (in thousands)	94	79	1,394	298	99	364	727	221	710	489	388	6,097	271	86	565	902	274	925
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	24.8	33.3	12.4	28.7	29.2	26.5	19.0	16.4	18.4	26.7	23.8	20.0	30.5	37.3	27.1	19.9	21.7	25.0
Below 125% of poverty line	29.9	50.0	20.5	31.7	29.2	41.3	25.3	21.3	32.7	33.9	31.2	33.1	41.5	45.7	38.9	26.0	33.1	36.6

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Table VIII.9.—Income of nonmarried persons below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of persons aged 55 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Person poverty status	Nonmarried men									Nonmarried women								
	Widowed			Never married			Divorced			Widowed			Never married			Divorced		
	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older	55-61	62-64	65 or older
White																		
Number (in thousands)	145	87	1,618	351	111	396	839	234	736	705	453	7,280	312	116	621	1,172	307	1,076
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	15.1	19.1	11.1	29.2	29.7	24.8	15.6	15.0	17.5	29.8	23.9	21.3	30.3	42.8	28.9	21.6	19.8	27.0
Below 125% of poverty line	17.9	31.3	20.4	33.9	32.8	39.7	22.1	22.6	31.2	37.1	34.1	33.7	41.9	50.5	39.7	27.2	30.0	37.1
Black																		
Number (in thousands)	43	21	263	98	24	76	131	48	137	173	103	904	121	30	109	218	75	152
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	(³)	(³)	43.2	63.8	(³)	25.7	43.4	(³)	39.6	38.4	44.1	52.3	33.5	(³)	63.9	34.7	(³)	51.0
Below 125% of poverty line	(³)	(³)	53.7	67.8	(³)	59.4	51.0	(³)	57.0	48.4	60.0	69.5	40.4	(³)	77.6	40.0	(³)	65.9
Hispanic origin ⁴																		
Number (in thousands)	12	7	105	31	9	21	91	13	67	78	39	412	74	19	55	101	29	91
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	(³)	(³)	36.7	(³)	(³)	(³)	23.5	(³)	(³)	48.7	(³)	61.1	(³)	(³)	(³)	42.2	(³)	61.0
Below 125% of poverty line	(³)	(³)	62.3	(³)	(³)	(³)	34.6	(³)	(³)	58.7	(³)	76.0	(³)	(³)	(³)	45.7	(³)	73.2

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Table VIII.10.—Income of nonmarried persons below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of persons aged 65 or older, 1998

Person poverty status	Nonmarried men									Nonmarried women								
	Widowed			Never married			Divorced			Widowed			Never married			Divorced		
	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older
All units																		
Number (in thousands)	705	815	407	277	188	24	656	195	42	3,074	3,731	1,581	385	262	104	856	334	73
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	16.7	15.0	18.1	26.5	22.8	(2)	20.0	25.5	(2)	24.1	24.4	29.1	31.8	37.6	35.0	27.1	30.8	(2)
Below 125% of poverty line	26.6	23.1	30.0	44.6	41.4	(2)	35.8	39.3	(2)	36.4	37.1	44.0	44.0	48.2	45.3	36.7	45.4	(2)
Beneficiary units ³																		
Number (in thousands)	622	749	383	230	161	15	536	182	36	2,794	3,487	1,439	322	226	92	732	305	65
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	14.5	11.9	14.7	20.4	17.6	(2)	17.5	22.6	(2)	20.3	21.1	24.7	27.6	34.3	29.9	24.8	29.1	(2)
Below 125% of poverty line	24.5	19.8	27.4	41.1	37.4	(2)	35.4	37.3	(2)	33.7	34.4	40.5	41.7	46.0	40.3	35.6	45.0	(2)
Nonbeneficiary units																		
Number (in thousands)	83	66	24	47	27	9	120	12	6	279	244	142	63	36	11	124	29	7
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	33.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	31.3	(2)	(2)	62.1	70.7	73.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	41.1	(2)	(2)
Below 125% of poverty line	42.5	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	(2)	37.9	(2)	(2)	64.1	74.9	79.6	(2)	(2)	(2)	43.1	(2)	(2)
Live with other family members																		
Number (in thousands)	194	220	119	64	57	4	112	51	19	947	896	445	109	46	31	233	85	20
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	24.1	22.5	38.3	(2)	(2)	(2)	21.5	(2)	(2)	37.6	35.9	47.3	57.5	(2)	(2)	34.4	54.8	(2)
Below 125% of poverty line	41.1	29.3	57.8	(2)	(2)	(2)	43.2	(2)	(2)	47.7	50.4	62.5	64.8	(2)	(2)	45.2	63.7	(2)
Live with no family members																		
Number (in thousands)	511	595	288	213	131	20	545	143	23	2,127	2,835	1,136	276	216	73	622	249	53
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	14.0	12.3	9.7	24.9	26.6	(2)	19.7	14.7	(2)	18.1	20.7	22.0	21.7	34.7	(2)	24.4	22.7	(2)
Below 125% of poverty line	21.1	20.8	18.5	41.5	41.0	(2)	34.3	29.6	(2)	31.5	32.9	36.8	35.8	44.5	(2)	33.5	39.2	(2)

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Table VIII.10.—Income of nonmarried persons below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line by age, sex, marital status, Social Security beneficiary status, living arrangements, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of persons aged 65 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Person poverty status	Nonmarried men									Nonmarried women								
	Widowed			Never married			Divorced			Widowed			Never married			Divorced		
	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older	65-74	75-84	85 or older
White																		
Number (in thousands)	567	712	340	212	163	21	551	151	33	2,559	3,308	1,413	296	229	96	726	286	64
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	11.2	10.1	13.3	22.9	25.2	(²)	18.2	15.8	(²)	19.1	20.7	26.8	23.9	34.7	30.6	24.2	29.0	(²)
Below 125% of poverty line	20.7	19.0	22.9	38.7	40.9	(²)	32.2	31.0	(²)	30.8	33.1	40.5	35.2	45.2	40.6	32.4	42.7	(²)
Black																		
Number (in thousands)	114	95	54	54	22	0	93	38	6	403	352	148	72	29	7	108	37	8
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	38.2	49.5	(²)	(²)	(²)	.0	33.2	(²)	(²)	52.2	52.9	51.1	(²)	(²)	(²)	48.7	(²)	(²)
Below 125% of poverty line	52.0	52.0	(²)	(²)	(²)	.0	55.6	(²)	(²)	69.8	67.9	72.4	(²)	(²)	(²)	60.8	(²)	(²)
Hispanic origin ⁴																		
Number (in thousands)	42	38	26	15	4	1	56	7	5	217	145	50	35	12	8	69	22	1
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	59.4	61.8	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)
Below 125% of poverty line	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	74.0	77.5	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)

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Table VIII.11.—Income of aged persons below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line based on family income by age, sex, Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged persons 55 or older, 1998

Person poverty status	55-61			62-64			65 or older		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
All persons									
Number (in thousands)	16,923	8,180	8,743	5,986	2,787	3,199	32,394	13,727	18,667
Percent—									
Below poverty line	9.5	8.2	10.7	9.9	8.1	11.4	10.5	7.2	12.8
Below 125% of poverty line	12.5	10.3	14.6	13.8	11.4	15.9	16.8	11.9	20.4
Beneficiary units ²									
Number (in thousands)	1,474	696	777	3,012	1,317	1,696	28,971	12,110	16,861
Percent—									
Below poverty line	20.8	20.8	20.9	9.8	9.0	10.4	8.5	5.2	10.9
Below 125% of poverty line	31.4	30.6	32.1	15.0	13.7	16.0	15.2	10.1	18.8
Nonbeneficiaries									
Number (in thousands)	15,449	7,483	7,966	2,974	1,470	1,504	3,423	1,617	1,806
Percent—									
Below poverty line	8.4	7.1	9.7	9.9	7.2	12.8	26.7	22.7	30.3
Below 125% of poverty line	10.7	8.4	12.9	12.6	9.4	15.7	30.8	26.0	35.1

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Table VIII.11.—Income of aged persons below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line based on family income by age, sex, Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged persons 55 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Person poverty status	55-61			62-64			65 or older		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
Married									
Number (in thousands)	11,880	6,252	5,628	4,168	2,152	2,015	17,908	10,105	7,803
Percent—									
Below poverty line	4.9	4.8	5.0	5.1	5.0	5.2	4.9	5.0	4.7
Below 125% of poverty line	6.6	6.2	7.1	7.7	7.4	8.0	8.1	8.3	7.8
Nonmarried									
Number (in thousands)	5,043	1,928	3,115	1,818	635	1,184	14,487	3,622	10,864
Percent—									
Below poverty line	20.4	19.4	21.0	20.9	18.6	22.1	17.4	13.5	18.6
Below 125% of poverty line	26.4	23.6	28.1	27.8	25.0	29.2	27.6	22.2	29.4
Widowed									
Number (in thousands)	1,102	195	907	695	115	580	10,312	1,927	8,385
Percent—									
Below poverty line	20.6	18.4	21.1	21.5	23.0	21.2	15.6	10.3	16.8
Below 125% of poverty line	28.8	20.9	30.5	29.0	34.5	27.9	25.7	16.7	27.8
Never married									
Number (in thousands)	905	458	447	284	138	146	1,239	489	750
Percent—									
Below poverty line	25.9	27.0	24.7	26.8	26.7	26.9	22.8	20.6	24.2
Below 125% of poverty line	31.1	29.4	32.8	30.1	28.3	31.9	34.6	33.4	35.4
Divorced									
Number (in thousands)	2,431	996	1,435	678	293	385	2,155	893	1,262
Percent—									
Below poverty line	16.6	16.2	16.8	17.0	13.7	19.6	20.0	16.1	22.7
Below 125% of poverty line	22.3	21.8	22.7	24.1	17.4	29.2	30.9	28.4	32.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table VIII.11.—Income of aged persons below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line based on family income by age, sex, Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged persons 55 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Person poverty status	55-61			62-64			65 or older		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
White									
Number (in thousands)	14,560	7,083	7,477	5,165	2,440	2,725	28,759	12,238	16,521
Percent—									
Below poverty line	8.2	6.9	9.3	8.0	6.9	9.0	8.9	5.9	11.1
Below 125% of poverty line	10.9	8.6	13.1	11.6	9.9	13.2	14.7	10.2	18.0
Black									
Number (in thousands)	1,676	730	946	609	258	351	2,723	1,079	1,644
Percent—									
Below poverty line	21.9	21.5	22.3	24.6	17.4	29.8	26.4	20.6	30.2
Below 125% of poverty line	27.0	26.2	27.6	31.8	24.4	37.2	38.8	30.3	44.4
Hispanic origin ³									
Number (in thousands)	1,286	576	711	419	180	239	1,696	745	950
Percent—									
Below poverty line	16.4	12.3	19.7	18.0	15.0	20.2	21.0	15.6	25.3
Below 125% of poverty line	20.9	17.1	24.0	25.8	21.3	29.2	32.4	27.3	36.5

¹ The family money income of aged persons is compared with the official poverty lines of families in 1998.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors'

benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

³ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Tabel VIII.12.—Income of aged persons below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line based on family income by age, sex, Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged persons 65 or older, 1998

Person poverty status	65-69			70-74			75-79			80-84			85 or older		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
All persons															
Number (in thousands)	9,320	4,298	5,022	8,524	3,729	4,794	6,952	2,941	4,012	4,545	1,758	2,787	3,054	1,001	2,053
Percent—															
Below poverty line	8.6	6.9	10.1	9.5	7.2	11.3	11.4	7.8	14.1	12.0	7.2	15.0	14.2	7.6	17.5
Below 125% of poverty line	13.7	11.3	15.8	15.8	11.6	19.0	17.9	12.9	21.6	19.1	12.0	23.6	23.3	13.0	28.4
Beneficiary units ²															
Number (in thousands)	7,752	3,484	4,268	7,766	3,370	4,396	6,416	2,690	3,726	4,250	1,646	2,604	2,787	920	1,867
Percent—															
Below poverty line	6.6	4.7	8.2	7.6	5.1	9.4	9.7	5.6	12.6	10.0	5.4	13.0	11.7	5.9	14.6
Below 125% of poverty line	12.0	9.5	14.1	14.1	9.7	17.4	16.3	10.8	20.2	17.2	10.0	21.7	21.3	11.7	26.0
Nonbeneficiaries															
Number (in thousands)	1,568	814	754	757	359	398	537	251	286	295	112	183	267	81	186
Percent—															
Below poverty line	18.7	16.3	21.3	29.9	27.2	32.2	31.7	31.0	32.4	39.9	33.3	44.0	40.5	27.0	46.4
Below 125% of poverty line	21.9	19.2	24.8	32.9	29.6	35.9	38.0	35.6	40.1	46.7	41.3	50.0	44.6	27.0	52.3

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Table VIII. 12.—Income of aged persons below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line based on family income by age, sex, Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged persons 65 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Person poverty status	65-69			70-74			75-79			80-84			85 or older		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
Married															
Number (in thousands)	6,234	3,366	2,868	5,194	2,837	2,358	3,789	2,166	1,623	1,963	1,250	713	727	486	241
Percent—															
Below poverty line	4.0	4.4	3.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.8	6.7	6.0	8.0
Below 125% of poverty line	6.6	7.1	5.9	8.0	7.9	8.2	9.1	9.2	9.1	9.3	9.4	9.1	12.5	11.8	14.0
Nonmarried															
Number (in thousands)	3,086	932	2,154	3,329	893	2,436	3,163	774	2,389	2,581	508	2,073	2,327	515	1,812
Percent—															
Below poverty line	17.9	15.7	18.9	17.0	15.3	17.6	18.3	13.7	19.8	16.7	10.8	18.1	16.6	9.1	18.7
Below 125% of poverty line	28.1	26.6	28.8	27.8	23.5	29.4	28.5	23.2	30.2	26.5	18.3	28.5	26.7	14.1	30.3
Widowed															
Number (in thousands)	1,609	303	1,306	2,169	402	1,768	2,403	457	1,946	2,143	358	1,784	1,988	407	1,581
Percent—															
Below poverty line	13.8	9.2	14.8	15.5	12.6	16.2	17.3	12.1	18.5	15.4	8.8	16.8	15.4	8.2	17.3
Below 125% of poverty line	23.4	15.3	25.3	26.5	17.5	28.6	26.8	18.8	28.7	25.2	16.9	26.8	25.9	14.4	28.9
Never married															
Number (in thousands)	359	168	192	302	109	193	269	123	145	181	64	117	128	24	104
Percent—															
Below poverty line	23.4	22.0	24.6	17.9	18.8	17.4	21.7	14.4	27.9	30.6	(²)	32.8	24.0	(²)	21.4
Below 125% of poverty line	38.5	39.8	37.3	28.9	29.6	28.5	35.2	27.9	41.4	38.2	(²)	41.2	31.0	(²)	30.1
Divorced															
Number (in thousands)	860	375	485	652	281	371	354	139	216	175	56	118	115	42	73
Percent—															
Below poverty line	21.0	17.6	23.6	20.0	18.0	21.6	17.5	15.3	18.9	17.1	(²)	21.9	24.4	(²)	(²)
Below 125% of poverty line	29.5	29.4	29.6	31.8	31.2	32.3	32.0	32.7	31.5	30.3	(²)	38.6	33.2	(²)	(²)

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Tabel VIII.12.—Income of aged persons below the poverty line¹ and 125 percent of the poverty line based on family income by age, sex, Social Security beneficiary status, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged persons 65 or older, 1998— *Continued*

Person poverty status	65-69			70-74			75-79			80-84			85 or older		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
White															
Number (in thousands)	8,063	3,750	4,313	7,578	3,368	4,210	6,211	2,625	3,586	4,195	1,629	2,566	2,711	866	1,845
Percent—															
Below poverty line	6.7	5.7	7.5	7.9	5.8	9.5	9.5	6.0	12.1	11.1	6.2	14.3	13.4	6.9	16.5
Below 125% of poverty line	11.1	9.7	12.4	13.7	10.2	16.4	15.7	10.6	19.4	17.4	10.1	22.1	21.9	11.6	26.8
Black															
Number (in thousands)	901	379	522	702	281	421	572	237	335	272	90	182	276	92	183
Percent—															
Below poverty line	25.0	16.9	30.8	26.4	22.5	29.0	30.6	24.9	34.6	24.2	20.7	25.9	24.1	18.0	27.1
Below 125% of poverty line	36.7	27.3	43.4	38.3	27.5	45.5	42.5	36.3	46.8	40.0	36.5	41.8	38.3	29.1	43.0
Hispanic origin ⁴															
Number (in thousands)	592	291	301	500	206	294	301	123	178	193	76	116	110	49	62
Percent—															
Below poverty line	17.4	13.3	21.3	24.2	18.2	28.5	23.2	14.7	29.1	23.5	18.1	27.1	15.4	(³)	(³)
Below 125% of poverty line	29.0	24.7	33.2	36.9	31.1	40.9	36.9	28.6	42.7	30.5	26.7	33.0	22.0	(³)	(³)

¹ The family money income of aged persons is compared with the official poverty lines of families in 1998.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors'

benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

³ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

⁴ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Table VIII.13—Family income below the poverty line¹ with and without Social Security benefits by age, sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged persons 65 or older who receive Social Security benefits, 1998

Person poverty status	Beneficiaries aged 65 or older																	
	Total			65-69			70-74			75-79			80-84			85 or older		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
All persons																		
Number (in thousands)	28,971	12,110	16,861	7,752	3,484	4,268	7,766	3,370	4,396	6,416	2,690	3,726	4,250	1,646	2,604	2,787	920	1,867
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	8.5	5.2	10.9	6.6	4.7	8.2	7.6	5.1	9.4	9.7	5.6	12.6	10.0	5.4	13.0	11.7	5.9	14.6
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	39.2	36.0	41.6	30.9	27.6	33.7	37.4	35.2	39.1	41.0	37.9	43.2	48.4	46.6	49.5	49.4	46.0	51.1
Total below poverty without Social Security	47.8	41.2	52.5	37.5	32.3	41.8	44.9	40.3	48.5	50.7	43.5	55.8	58.4	51.9	62.5	61.2	51.9	65.7
Married																		
Number (in thousands)	15,962	8,958	7,004	5,185	2,740	2,445	4,757	2,596	2,161	3,494	1,995	1,499	1,850	1,171	679	676	457	220
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	2.9	3.1	2.6	2.0	2.4	1.5	2.9	3.1	2.8	3.7	3.9	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.8	3.7	3.3	4.6
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	36.5	35.1	38.3	28.0	25.2	31.2	36.3	35.0	37.8	39.8	37.3	43.0	49.5	49.2	50.1	50.4	49.8	51.6
Total below poverty without Social Security	39.4	38.2	40.9	30.0	27.5	32.7	39.2	38.0	40.6	43.5	41.3	46.3	53.0	52.4	53.9	54.1	53.0	56.3
Nonmarried																		
Number (in thousands)	13,009	3,152	9,857	2,567	744	1,823	3,009	774	2,235	2,921	695	2,226	2,400	475	1,925	2,111	463	1,648
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	15.5	11.2	16.9	15.9	13.1	17.1	14.9	12.0	15.9	16.9	10.4	18.9	15.1	10.7	16.2	14.3	8.5	15.9
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	42.6	38.5	43.9	36.8	36.7	36.9	39.2	35.9	40.3	42.4	39.7	43.3	47.5	40.1	49.3	49.1	42.3	51.1
Total below poverty without Social Security	58.1	49.7	60.8	52.8	49.8	54.0	54.0	47.9	56.2	59.3	50.0	62.2	62.6	50.8	65.5	63.4	50.8	67.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table VIII.13—Family income below the poverty line¹ with and without Social Security benefits by age, sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged persons 65 or older who receive Social Security benefits, 1998—*Continued*

Person poverty status	Beneficiaries aged 65 or older																	
	Total			65-69			70-74			75-79			80-84			85 or older		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
Widowed																		
Number (in thousands)	9,474	1,755	7,719	1,414	259	1,155	2,002	364	1,639	2,233	415	1,818	2,003	334	1,669	1,822	383	1,439
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	14.0	9.0	15.1	12.1	6.4	13.4	13.5	10.5	14.2	16.2	10.0	17.7	14.0	8.4	15.2	13.2	8.7	14.3
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	44.1	37.3	45.7	35.9	27.8	37.8	41.3	33.1	43.2	42.4	36.9	43.6	48.5	40.6	50.1	50.8	45.1	52.3
Total below poverty without Social Security	58.1	46.3	60.8	48.1	34.3	51.2	54.8	43.6	57.4	58.6	46.9	61.3	62.5	49.0	65.2	63.9	53.9	66.6
Never married																		
Number (in thousands)	1,046	406	640	280	136	143	272	94	179	229	101	128	157	60	97	108	15	92
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	18.4	15.1	20.5	17.8	14.9	20.6	16.1	15.8	16.2	16.4	6.5	24.2	28.2	(^c)	28.6	15.7	(^c)	14.6
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	38.8	36.0	40.6	41.4	47.5	35.5	35.2	32.1	36.8	43.9	37.1	49.3	28.7	(^c)	36.7	45.1	(^c)	47.6
Total below poverty without Social Security	57.2	51.2	61.0	59.2	62.4	56.1	51.2	47.9	53.0	60.3	43.6	73.6	56.9	(^c)	65.3	60.8	(^c)	62.2
Divorced																		
Number (in thousands)	1,857	754	1,103	688	295	393	580	241	339	329	129	200	159	54	105	101	36	65
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	18.4	14.1	21.4	20.3	17.8	22.1	17.1	13.6	19.6	16.8	11.4	20.3	13.8	(^c)	17.1	25.8	(^c)	(^c)
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	39.0	41.2	37.5	36.4	39.3	34.3	35.8	41.1	32.0	43.1	44.7	42.1	58.8	(^c)	60.2	30.2	(^c)	(^c)
Total below poverty without Social Security	57.4	55.3	58.8	56.7	57.1	56.4	52.9	54.7	51.5	59.9	56.1	62.4	72.6	(^c)	77.3	56.0	(^c)	(^c)

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Table VIII.13—Family income below the poverty line¹ with and without Social Security benefits by age, sex, marital status, race, and Hispanic origin: Percent of aged persons 65 or older who receive Social Security benefits, 1998—*Continued*

Person poverty status	Beneficiaries aged 65 or older																	
	Total			65-69			70-74			75-79			80-84			85 or older		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
White																		
Number (in thousands)	26,038	10,933	15,105	6,817	3,088	3,729	6,973	3,067	3,905	5,803	2,440	3,362	3,965	1,538	2,427	2,481	799	1,682
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	7.2	4.2	9.3	5.0	4.0	5.8	6.1	3.9	7.8	8.0	4.2	10.8	9.3	4.6	12.3	10.6	5.0	13.3
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	39.3	35.6	42.0	30.4	26.4	33.7	37.4	35.3	39.1	41.0	37.3	43.8	48.8	47.1	49.8	49.8	44.5	52.3
Total below poverty without Social Security	46.5	39.8	51.3	35.4	30.5	39.5	43.5	39.2	46.9	49.1	41.5	54.6	58.1	51.7	62.1	60.4	49.5	65.5
Black																		
Number (in thousands)	2,336	915	1,421	724	298	426	623	253	370	497	200	296	236	77	158	257	86	170
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	24.0	17.0	28.5	22.1	11.3	29.8	23.2	18.5	26.5	28.7	22.6	32.9	22.7	20.9	23.6	23.5	16.3	27.1
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	40.9	43.5	39.2	38.2	43.6	34.3	37.3	33.1	40.2	42.8	46.3	40.5	42.2	37.0	44.7	52.6	73.0	42.2
Total below poverty without Social Security	65.0	60.5	67.8	60.3	54.9	64.1	60.6	51.6	66.7	71.5	68.9	73.3	64.9	57.9	68.3	76.0	89.4	69.3
Hispanic origin ³																		
Number (in thousands)	1,304	576	728	427	200	227	393	167	226	246	104	142	152	66	86	86	40	46
Percent—																		
Below poverty line	17.9	13.9	21.2	15.3	12.5	17.7	20.2	14.3	24.5	20.2	13.3	25.2	18.2	(?)	19.9	14.1	(?)	(?)
Kept out of poverty by Social Security	41.4	42.5	40.5	40.6	37.7	43.2	41.5	48.8	36.1	40.7	39.5	41.6	47.0	(?)	44.6	36.7	(?)	(?)
Total below poverty without Social Security	59.3	56.3	61.7	55.9	50.2	60.9	61.7	63.1	60.6	60.9	52.8	66.8	65.3	(?)	64.4	50.7	(?)	(?)

¹ The family money income of aged persons is compared with the official poverty lines of families in 1998.

² Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

³ Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Table IV.4. *[Errata]*—Retirement income,¹ total income, and poverty status ² by age, sex, marital status, and receipt of various sources:
Number and percent of aged units 62 or older, 1996

Unit income, retirement income, and poverty status	Aged 62 or older			Age 62-64			Aged 65 or older			Age 65-74			Aged 75 or older		
	Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings	
		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No
	All units														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	26,818	6,952	19,866	3,334	2,104	1,230	23,484	4,848	18,636	12,319	3,845	8,474	11,165	1,003	10,162
Percent of total	94	92	95	84	85	84	96	95	96	95	95	95	96	97	96
Median:															
Total income	\$17,541	\$34,651	\$14,132	\$28,106	\$39,033	\$13,200	\$16,644	\$32,663	\$14,185	\$20,053	\$34,045	\$15,801	\$13,977	\$27,895	\$13,215
Retirement income	13,805	13,696	13,835	9,538	8,188	11,922	14,323	15,868	13,912	15,614	15,808	15,527	13,157	15,983	12,903
Percent poor:															
Total income	14	2	18	11	3	26	14	2	17	11	2	16	17	3	19
Retirement income	28	37	25	57	63	46	24	25	24	24	26	23	24	20	24
	All units with retirement benefits														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	25,360	5,749	19,611	2,489	1,309	1,181	22,870	4,440	18,430	11,848	3,478	8,370	11,023	962	10,061
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$17,024	\$32,024	\$14,241	\$22,870	\$33,216	\$13,527	\$16,557	\$31,615	\$14,282	\$19,760	\$33,059	\$15,947	\$14,021	\$27,585	\$13,288
Retirement income	14,453	16,066	13,972	12,730	12,762	12,654	14,618	16,820	14,029	16,068	16,978	15,685	13,278	16,282	12,990
Percent poor:															
Total income	15	2	18	16	4	29	14	2	18	12	1	16	18	3	19
Retirement income	21	21	20	37	39	34	19	16	20	18	17	18	20	14	21

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Table IV.4.*[Errata]*—Retirement income,¹ total income, and poverty status² by age, sex, marital status, and receipt of various sources:
Number and percent of aged units 62 or older, 1996—*Continued*

Unit income, retirement income, and poverty status	Aged 62 or older			Age 62-64			Aged 65 or older			Age 65-74			Aged 75 or older		
	Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings	
		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No
	Married couples														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	11,335	4,540	6,795	1,873	1,422	451	9,462	3,117	6,344	6,094	2,553	3,541	3,367	564	2,803
Percent of total	96	94	98	90	89	92	98	97	98	98	97	98	98	98	99
Median:															
Total income	\$29,733	\$43,397	\$23,840	\$40,629	\$48,432	\$21,834	\$28,178	\$41,698	\$23,942	\$30,698	\$42,479	\$24,629	\$24,714	\$37,955	\$22,972
Retirement income	21,216	17,572	23,453	12,622	9,774	21,022	22,337	20,007	23,590	22,263	19,828	24,240	22,460	20,849	22,683
Percent poor:															
Total income	4	1	6	4	2	12	4	1	5	3	1	5	5	1	5
Retirement income	18	31	9	50	58	23	11	18	8	13	18	9	9	15	8
	Married couples with retirement benefits														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	10,514	3,788	6,726	1,356	916	440	9,158	2,872	6,286	5,830	2,330	3,500	3,328	542	2,786
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$28,650	\$40,931	\$24,013	\$34,716	\$41,805	\$22,411	\$27,988	\$40,661	\$24,091	\$30,339	\$41,407	\$24,854	\$24,724	\$37,469	\$23,070
Retirement income	22,262	19,958	23,630	17,574	15,584	21,476	22,769	20,882	23,741	22,858	20,769	24,429	22,621	21,685	22,780
Percent poor:															
Total income	4	1	5	6	3	12	4	0	5	3	1	5	4	0	5
Retirement income	10	16	7	28	35	14	7	10	6	8	11	6	7	9	6

See footnotes at end of table.

Table IV.4.*[Errata]*—Retirement income,¹ total income, and poverty status ² by age, sex, marital status, and receipt of various sources:
Number and percent of aged units 62 or older, 1996—*Continued*

Unit income, retirement income, and poverty status	Aged 62 or older			Age 62-64			Aged 65 or older			Age 65-74			Aged 75 or older		
	Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings	
		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No
	Married couples: One has retirement benefits														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	2,662	1,867	794	952	737	215	1,709	1,130	579	1,482	1,021	461	227	109	119
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$35,736	\$45,040	\$17,454	\$36,475	\$42,969	\$18,511	\$35,074	\$46,792	\$17,157	\$36,310	\$46,394	\$16,907	\$24,285	\$48,602	\$17,961
Retirement income	15,669	15,243	17,003	14,252	13,398	18,097	16,326	16,182	16,656	16,492	16,588	16,209	15,314	14,036	17,961
Percent poor:															
Total income	8	2	22	7	3	21	8	1	23	8	1	23	11	0	22
Retirement income	28	28	26	37	40	24	23	21	27	22	19	27	31	38	24
	Married couples: Both have retirement benefits														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	7,853	1,921	5,931	404	179	225	7,449	1,742	5,706	4,348	1,309	3,039	3,101	433	2,668
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$27,390	\$37,774	\$24,748	\$30,435	\$35,264	\$27,229	\$27,200	\$37,987	\$24,706	\$29,196	\$38,709	\$25,803	\$24,749	\$35,251	\$23,393
Retirement income	24,256	23,778	24,436	24,938	24,380	26,632	24,235	23,716	24,416	24,997	23,828	25,488	23,179	23,508	23,086
Percent poor:															
Total income	2	0	3	3	3	4	2	0	3	1	0	2	4	0	5
Retirement income	4	5	4	9	14	4	4	4	4	3	4	3	5	2	5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table IV.4.*[Errata]*—Retirement income,¹ total income, and poverty status ² by age, sex, marital status, and receipt of various sources:
Number and percent of aged units 62 or older, 1996—*Continued*

Unit income, retirement income, and poverty status	Aged 62 or older			Age 62-64			Aged 65 or older			Age 65-74			Aged 75 or older		
	Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings	
		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No			
	Nonmarried persons														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	15,483	2,412	13,071	1,461	682	779	14,022	1,730	12,292	6,225	1,291	4,933	7,798	439	7,359
Percent of total	92	87	93	78	77	80	94	93	94	93	92	93	96	96	95
Median:															
Total income	\$11,940	\$20,495	\$10,777	\$15,812	\$23,537	\$9,203	\$11,739	\$19,663	\$10,874	\$12,706	\$19,825	\$11,273	\$10,992	\$19,163	\$10,642
Retirement income	10,144	8,940	10,346	7,437	5,523	8,514	10,404	9,899	10,485	10,489	9,610	10,764	10,346	10,691	10,328
Percent poor:															
Total income	21	4	24	19	5	32	21	3	23	19	3	23	23	5	24
Retirement income	36	48	33	65	72	57	32	37	31	34	40	33	30	27	30
	Nonmarried persons with retirement benefits														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	14,845	1,960	12,885	1,133	393	740	13,712	1,568	12,145	6,018	1,148	4,870	7,695	420	7,275
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$11,775	\$18,951	\$10,872	\$12,945	\$19,302	\$9,418	\$11,715	\$18,772	\$10,962	\$12,613	\$18,805	\$11,364	\$11,042	\$18,673	\$10,719
Retirement income	10,420	10,163	10,462	8,601	8,437	8,641	10,570	10,463	10,585	10,744	10,244	10,886	10,450	11,152	10,414
Percent poor:															
Total income	22	4	25	29	9	39	22	3	24	20	3	24	23	6	24
Retirement income	28	31	28	47	49	46	27	27	27	27	29	27	26	21	26

See footnotes at end of table.

Table IV.4. *[Errata]*—Retirement income,¹ total income, and poverty status ² by age, sex, marital status, and receipt of various sources:
Number and percent of aged units 62 or older, 1996—*Continued*

Unit income, retirement income, and poverty status	Aged 62 or older			Age 62-64			Aged 65 or older			Age 65-74			Aged 75 or older		
	Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings	
		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No			
	Nonmarried men														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	4,075	795	3,280	540	248	291	3,535	547	2,988	1,728	398	1,330	1,807	148	1,659
Percent of total	92	86	93	81	77	86	93	90	94	92	89	93	95	93	95
Median:															
Total income	\$14,368	\$27,178	\$13,009	\$18,899	\$27,850	\$10,419	\$14,168	\$26,719	\$13,192	\$15,430	\$26,481	\$13,375	\$13,514	\$27,606	\$13,062
Retirement income	12,528	11,324	12,793	7,757	5,475	9,470	12,995	12,925	13,016	13,032	12,793	13,146	12,963	13,191	12,924
Percent poor:															
Total income	13	5	16	19	8	29	13	3	14	10	3	13	15	4	16
Retirement income	29	44	25	60	72	49	23	29	22	24	31	22	22	20	22
	Nonmarried men with retirement benefits														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	3,829	618	3,210	407	133	273	3,422	485	2,937	1,643	344	1,299	1,779	141	1,638
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$14,145	\$25,194	\$13,125	\$14,400	\$22,891	\$10,715	\$14,133	\$25,798	\$13,282	\$15,319	\$25,416	\$13,522	\$13,525	\$27,315	\$13,105
Retirement income	12,950	12,998	12,937	10,052	10,388	9,873	13,185	13,710	13,122	13,354	13,780	13,308	13,052	13,612	12,991
Percent poor:															
Total income	14	4	16	26	12	33	13	2	15	11	2	13	15	4	16
Retirement income	19	22	18	41	42	40	16	16	16	16	19	15	17	10	17

See footnotes at end of table.

Table IV.4.*[Errata]*—Retirement income,¹ total income, and poverty status ² by age, sex, marital status, and receipt of various sources:
Number and percent of aged units 62 or older, 1996—*Continued*

Unit income, retirement income, and poverty status	Aged 62 or older			Age 62-64			Aged 65 or older			Age 65-74			Aged 75 or older		
	Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings		Total	Earnings	
		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No
	Nonmarried women														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	11,408	1,617	9,791	921	434	487	10,487	1,184	9,304	4,497	893	3,604	5,991	290	5,700
Percent of total	93	88	93	77	76	77	94	94	95	93	93	93	96	98	96
Median:															
Total income	\$11,138	\$18,592	\$10,103	\$14,813	\$20,337	\$8,756	\$10,938	\$17,744	\$10,156	\$11,925	\$18,013	\$10,351	\$10,284	\$16,975	\$10,080
Retirement income	9,590	8,421	9,789	7,308	5,572	7,981	9,768	8,977	9,877	9,663	8,746	9,924	9,832	9,527	9,852
Percent poor:															
Total income	23	4	27	20	4	34	24	3	26	22	3	26	25	6	26
Retirement income	38	50	36	67	73	62	35	40	34	38	44	37	32	30	33
	Nonmarried women with retirement benefits														
Number (in thousands) with retirement income	11,017	1,342	9,675	726	259	467	10,290	1,082	9,208	4,375	803	3,571	5,915	279	5,637
Percent of total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Median:															
Total income	\$10,992	\$17,380	\$10,162	\$12,425	\$18,409	\$8,837	\$10,920	\$17,191	\$10,212	\$11,817	\$17,361	\$10,457	\$10,340	\$16,723	\$10,130
Retirement income	9,776	9,206	9,854	8,089	7,871	8,258	9,876	9,407	9,935	9,846	9,238	9,987	9,895	9,718	9,907
Percent poor:															
Total income	25	4	28	30	7	43	25	4	27	23	3	28	26	7	27
Retirement income	31	35	31	50	53	49	30	31	30	32	33	31	29	26	29

¹ Income from reasonably permanent sources including retirement benefits, veterans' benefits, and income from assets.

² The money income and retirement income of aged married and nonmarried persons are compared with the official poverty income lines for couples or nonmarried persons

living alone, whether or not, in fact, they do so. In 1996, the poverty line was \$9,491 for a two-person unit aged 65 or older, \$7,525 for one person aged 65 or older, and \$10,564 and \$8,163 for two- and one-person units, respectively, under 65.

Table VIII.6. [Errata]—Family income and income of the aged units below the poverty line and 125 percent of the poverty line¹ by marital status and receipt of various sources: Percent of aged units 65 or older, 1996—Continued

Unit retirement benefits	All units					Married couples					Nonmarried persons				
	Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets		Total	Earnings		Income from assets	
		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No	Yes	No		Yes	No		
Percent of units whose own income is below the one- or two-person poverty ⁶ line															
Total	17	2	21	7	36	5	1	7	2	14	25	4	29	11	43
No benefit	57	8	87	26	73	29	8	72	18	46	69	7	90	35	80
One benefit	23	2	29	11	38	7	1	10	3	16	31	4	35	17	44
Social Security only ²	24	2	29	11	38	7	1	10	3	15	31	5	35	17	45
Private pension or annuity only	21	(3)	32	12	(3)	12	(3)	(3)	2	(3)	31	(3)	37	(3)	(3)
Government employee pension only ⁴	7	0	9	7	(3)	4	(3)	(3)	2	(3)	9	(3)	10	10	(3)
Railroad Retirement only	4	(3)	5	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)
More than one benefit ⁵	2	0	3	1	7	1	0	1	0	3	4	1	4	2	10
Social Security and Federal pension only	2	0	3	1	7	3	0	4	1	(3)	1	(3)	1	1	4
Social Security and Railroad Retirement, State/local, or military pension only	3	0	4	1	13	1	0	2	0	4	6	0	6	1	17
Social Security and private pension only	2	1	2	1	6	1	0	1	0	1	4	2	4	2	9
Three or more benefit types	0	0	0	0	(3)	0	0	0	0	(3)	0	(3)	0	0	(3)

¹ See table III.6 for frequency counts.

² Social Security beneficiaries may be receiving retired-worker benefits, dependents' or survivors' benefits, disability benefits, transitionally insured, or special age-72 benefits.

³ Fewer than 75,000 weighted cases.

⁴ Includes Federal, State, local, and military pensions.

⁵ Includes a small number with combinations of pensions not listed.

⁶ The money income of aged married and nonmarried persons is compared with the official poverty income lines for aged couples or nonmarried persons living alone, whether or not, in fact, they do so. In 1996, the poverty line was \$9,491 for a two-person unit aged 65 or older, and \$7,525 for one person aged 65 or older.

Technical Appendix

This set of tables is part of a biennial series of studies on the income of the aged that began with data from 1976.¹ The technical appendix describes the data source of this series, defines some key variables found in the tables, and discusses the reliability of the estimates.

Source of Data

Data for this series are provided by the March Current Population Survey (CPS) of the U.S. Census Bureau.² The CPS samples a large cross section of households in the United States each year (approximately 50,000 in March 1999). The March supplement gathers detailed information on income and labor force participation of each person 15 years of age or older in the sample households. For this series, a subsample of persons 55 or older is created, arranged in aged units with a separate data record for each married couple living together—at least one of whom is 55 or older—and for each nonmarried person 55 or older. Married persons living apart are classified as nonmarried persons.

From time to time, changes have been made in the survey. Although the changes have improved the measurement of income and labor force participation, they have reduced the comparability of estimates made in different years.³

Definitions

Aged unit.—The major unit of analysis in Social Security surveys of the aged has been the aged unit rather than the construct of families and unrelated individuals used by the Census Bureau. With 55 as the age cutoff, aged units are married couples living together—at least one of whom is 55 or older—and nonmarried persons 55 or older. Persons who are married but not

living with a spouse are included in the non-married persons category.

Certain differences exist between Census Bureau and SSA figures because the units of analysis are not directly comparable. Aged persons living with a younger relative who is considered the householder are classified by the Census Bureau as members of nonaged families.⁴ Also, nonmarried individuals are treated simply as nonmarried persons by SSA. In comparison, the Census Bureau counts non-married persons living with other relatives as part of a family and nonmarried persons who are living alone or with nonrelatives as unrelated individuals. The Census Bureau's family category includes both married couples and those non-married persons who are living with relatives.

Census data show that the number of households with the householder aged 65 or older was 21,589,000.⁵ In comparison, SSA data show that there were 24,644,000 units aged 65 or older in 1998. The SSA count generally includes the Census Bureau's aged households plus some aged units living in nonaged households or living with other aged units in the same household. The number of aged households was 88 percent of the number of aged units.

Age.—These tabulations cover units aged 55 or older (see definition of aged unit above). The age of a married couple is defined as the age of the husband—unless he is under 55 and the wife is 55 or older, in which case it is the age of the wife.

Total money income.—Total money income is calculated as the sum of all income received by the aged unit—before any deductions such as taxes, union dues, or Medicare premiums—from the following sources: wages and salaries, self-employment income (including losses), Social Security, Supplemental Security Income, public assistance, interest, dividends, rent, royalties,

estates or trusts, veterans' payments, unemployment and workers' compensations, private and government retirement and disability pensions, alimony, child support, and any other source of money income that was regularly received. Capital gains (or losses) and lump-sum or one-time payments such as life insurance settlements are excluded.

Total money income does not reflect non-money transfers such as food stamps, health benefits, subsidized housing, payments in kind, or fringe benefits from one's employment.

To reduce the amount of nonsampling error resulting from nonresponses, the Census Bureau has devised procedures to impute work and income data for all persons for whom this information is missing. Amounts assigned to a nonrespondent are those observed for another person with similar demographic and economic characteristics who did respond.⁶

Aged unit income.—Aged unit income is either the income of a nonmarried person or the sum of income from both spouses in a married couple. A married couple receives a source if one or both persons are recipients of that source.

Family income.—Family income is calculated as the sum of total money income of all persons related by blood, marriage, or adoption and residing together. Total money income is the same as family income for aged units who live with no other relatives.

Measurement of poverty.—The poverty concept, originally developed in 1964 by Mollie Orshansky of the Social Security Administration and revised by federal interagency committees in 1969 and 1981, consists of a set of thresholds that vary by family size and composition. There are 48 thresholds for families composed of one to nine or more persons cross-classified by the presence and number of family members under age 18 (from no children to eight or more). One-

and two-person families are further differentiated by the age of the family householder (under age 65 and aged 65 or older).

The poverty index for families of three or more persons is based on the cost of the Department of Agriculture's economy food plan, multiplied by the ratio of income to food costs derived from the 1955 Household Food Consumption Survey. The factors used to derive the poverty index from food costs for one- and two-person families were higher. These criteria for determining the extent of poverty in the United States have become the basis for the official statistics issued annually by the Bureau of the Census in "Characteristics of the Population Below the Poverty Level," *Current Population Reports*, Series P-60. The poverty levels are adjusted to reflect changes in the annual average Consumer Price Index.

The poverty index was originally developed at a time when public noncash benefits for both non-needy and needy families were relatively small and unimportant. It was, therefore, developed as a measure of income inadequacy of money income only. Nonmoney income is, therefore, not currently considered in calculating the poverty thresholds.

The official poverty measures used by the Bureau of the Census compare family total money income with the appropriate thresholds. Families as well as all persons in families with income below the appropriate threshold are considered poor. Tables VIII.1-6 of this report present measures of the poverty status of aged units based on their family income, similar to the official measures. They may, however, differ from Census estimates because of differences in the way in which families are classified as "aged" or not. Tables VIII.11-13, which were added in 1996, present measures of the poverty status of aged persons based on their family income, consistent with the official measures.

This report also presents selected "unofficial" measures of poverty by comparing total money income of aged units with thresholds for one- or two-person units under age 65 and 65 or older, even though some aged units live with other relatives (tables IV.4 and VIII.6-10), comparing aged unit amounts of retirement income with one- and two-person unit thresholds (table IV.4) and comparing family total money income other than Social Security benefits with the family poverty thresholds (table VIII.5).

Interest also centers on the number who have incomes only slightly above the poverty line. This group, sometimes called the near poor, have incomes between the poverty line and 125 percent of the poverty line. Estimates of proportions who are poor or near poor are presented in tables VIII.1-4 and VIII.7-10.

In May 1995, the Committee on National Statistics of the National Academy of Sciences released a report on poverty measurement entitled *Measuring Poverty: A New Approach* that contained a number of recommendations for improving the measurement of poverty.⁷ Among the recommendations are expanding the income definition to include the growing amount of near-money income (such as food stamps and subsidized housing), and taking into account such expenses as income and payroll taxes, child care and other work-related expenses, out-of-pocket medical expenses, and payments of child support payments to another household. In 1997 the Office of Management and Budget formed a working group, under the auspices of the Interagency Council on Statistical Policy, to conduct a review of the available options for revising the definition of poverty. The group has coordinated with the Census Bureau to develop experimental poverty measures that incorporate the NAS recommendations.⁸

Reporting of income.—Income amounts

reported by persons in the CPS are somewhat less than amounts derived from independent sources such as the Bureau of Economic Analysis, Social Security Administration, and the Department of Veterans Affairs. A comparison of aggregates from the March 1990 CPS (reported and allocated) with independent estimates found that the CPS accounted for 97 percent of wages and salaries, 97 percent of Social Security and Railroad Retirement benefits, 103 percent of private pensions and annuities, 83 percent of federal government and military retirement, 77 percent of state and local government retirement, 89 percent of Supplemental Security Income payments, 51 percent of interest, and 33 percent of dividends.⁹ A matching of 1972 data from the Census Bureau, SSA, and Internal Revenue Service sources has provided a rich source for methodological comparisons of record and survey information of individuals.¹⁰ In a report from the 1972 match, the adjusted mean income of families headed by a person aged 65 or older was 41 percent higher than that found in the CPS.¹¹

Social Security beneficiary status.—

Beneficiary status is measured by the yes/no answer to the question in the CPS on receipt of Social Security benefits. Missing answers are imputed by the Census Bureau (as referenced above).

Although Social Security benefits are referred to as retirement benefits in these tabulations, Social Security beneficiaries include not only retired workers, but also dependent spouses, dependents or survivors with young children in their care, and the disabled. According to SSA records at the end of 1998, 97 percent of persons aged 55-59 with a Social Security benefit were disabled; the remaining 3 percent were parents with young children in their care. At age 60, old-age benefits are available to survivors. Men aged 60-61 receiving a benefit are all disabled except

for a very small number of widowers. Sixty-one percent of women aged 60-61 receiving a benefit were disabled; the remainder were aged widows and those with young children in their care. At age 62, reduced retired-worker and dependent's benefits are available. Among persons 62-64, the proportions of beneficiaries with disability benefits were 23 percent of men and 15 percent of women. Almost all remaining men in this age group were receiving retired-worker benefits. Only a small number received father's or widower's benefits. The remaining women 62-64 were receiving benefits as retired workers, dependents, or survivors.¹²

Reliability of the Estimates

Because the figures in this report are based on a sample of the older population, all reported statistics (counts, percentages, and medians) are only estimates of population parameters and may deviate somewhat from their true values—that is, from the values that would have been obtained from a complete census using the same questionnaires, instructions, and interviewers.¹³

The standard error is primarily a measure of sampling variability—that is, of the variations that occur by chance because a sample rather than the entire population is surveyed. As calculated for this report, the standard error also partly measures the effect of response and enumeration errors but does not measure systematic biases in the data. The chances are about 68 out of 100 that an estimate for the sample would differ from a complete census figure by less than the standard error. The chances are about 95 out of 100 that the difference would be less than twice the standard error.

Standard error of estimated percentages.—The reliability of an estimated percentage, computed by using sample data for both

numerator and denominator, depends on both the size of the percentage and the size of the total on which the percentage is based. The approximate standard error S_x of an estimated percentage can be obtained using the formula

$$S_{x,p} = \sqrt{\frac{b}{x} p(100-p)}$$

Here x is the total number of persons, families, or households which is the base of the percentage, p is the percentage, and b is the parameter in table A associated with the characteristic in the numerator of the percentage. Use of this formula in calculating the standard error of a single percentage is illustrated as follows:

An estimated 28 percent of units aged 65 or older had total money incomes of \$30,000 or more in 1998 (table III.1). Because the base of this percentage is approximately 24,644,000—the number of units aged 65 or older—the standard error of the estimated 28 percent is approximately 0.4 percent. The chances are 68 out of 100 that the estimate would have shown a figure differing from a complete census by less than 0.4 percent. The chances are 95 out of 100 that the estimate would have shown a figure differing from a complete census by less than 0.8 percent—that is, this 95-percent confidence interval would range from 27.2 percent to 28.8 percent.

For a difference between two sample estimates, the standard error is approximately equal to the square root of the sum of the squares of the standard errors of each estimate considered separately. This formula will represent the actual standard error quite accurately for the difference between separate and uncorrelated characteristics. If, however, there is a high positive correlation between the two characteris-

tics, the formula will overestimate the true standard error.

A comparison of the difference in the percentage of units aged 62-64 and 65 or older who had total money incomes of \$30,000 or more in 1998 illustrates how to calculate the standard error of a difference between two percentages:

Twenty-eight percent of the 24,644,000 units aged 65 or older and 47 percent of the 3,997,000 units aged 62-64 had total money incomes of \$30,000 or more in 1998—a difference of 19 percentage points. The standard errors of these percentages are 0.4 and 1.2, respectively. The standard error of the estimated difference of 19 percentage points is about

$$1.3 = \sqrt{(0.4)^2 + (1.2)^2}$$

The chances are 68 out of 100 that the difference is between 17.7 and 20.3 percentage points and 95 out of 100 of being between 16.4 and 21.6 percentage points. Because the confidence interval around the difference does not include zero, there is a statistically significant difference between the proportions who are 62-64 and those who are 65 or older with income of \$30,000 or more.

Confidence limits of medians.—The sampling variability of an estimated median depends on the distribution as well as on the size of the base. Confidence limits of a median based on sample data may be estimated as follows: (1) Using the appropriate base, the standard error of a 50-percent characteristic is determined; (2) the standard error determined in step 1 is added to and subtracted from 50 percent; and (3) the confidence interval around the median corresponding to the two points estimated in step 2 is then read from the distribution of the characteristic. A two-standard-error

confidence limit may be determined by finding the values corresponding to 50 percent plus and minus twice the standard error. This procedure may be illustrated as follows:

The median total money income of the estimated 24,644,000 units aged 65 or older was \$17,777 in 1998 (table III.1). The standard error of 50 percent of these units expressed as a percentage is about 0.50 percent. As interest usually centers on the confidence interval for the median at the two-standard-error level, it is necessary to add and subtract twice the standard error obtained in step 1 from 50 percent. This procedure yields limits of approximately 49 percent and 51 percent. By interpolation, 49 percent of units 65 or older had total money incomes below \$17,278 and 51 percent had total money incomes below \$18,359. Thus, the chances are about 95 out of 100 that the census would have shown the median to be greater than \$17,278 but less than \$18,359.

Table A.—Standard error parameter b for poverty and income characteristics of persons 65 and over, 1998

Characteristic	Total or white	Black	Hispanic
Below poverty level.	3,927	3,927	3,927
All income levels.....	2,454	2,810	2,810

Notes

¹ *Income of the Population 55 or Older*, Social Security Administration, biennial report beginning with 1976 data.

² For a detailed description of the basic CPS sample design, see U.S. Census Bureau, *The Current Population Survey: Design and Methodology*, Technical Paper No. 40, 1978.

³ These changes are discussed in some detail in the U.S. Census Bureau, *Current Population Reports*, Series P-60, various years.

⁴ The Census Bureau classifies families by characteristics of the householder—the first person in whose name a home is listed as owned or rented.

⁵ "Money Income in the United States, 1998," *Current Population Reports*, Series P-60, No. 206, September 1999, table A.

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